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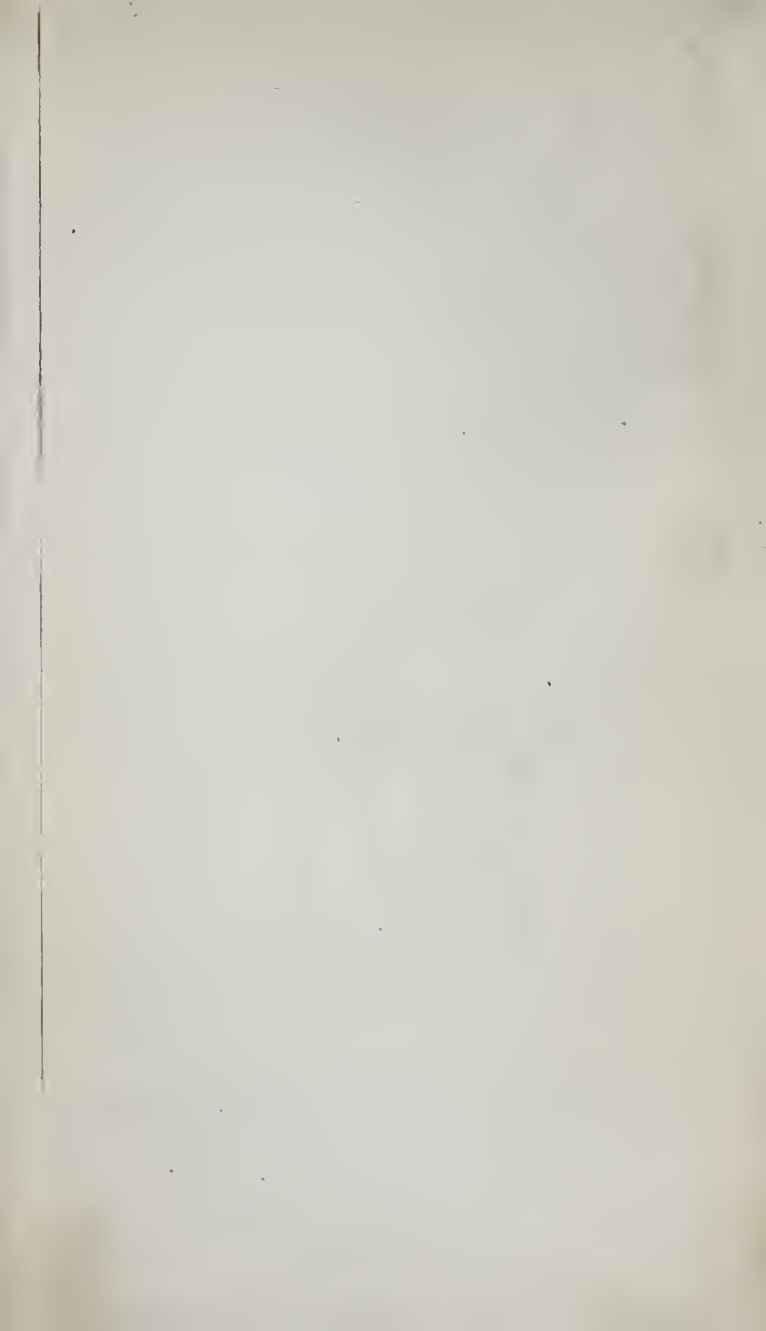
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FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of JANUARY 1,
1839.

CIRCUITS OF THE COMMISSIONERS FOR
THE RELIEF OF INSOLVENT DEBTORS.

SPRING CIRCUITS, 1839.

SOUTHERN CIRCUIT.

H. R. Reynolds, Esq. Chief Commissioner.

Berkshire, at Reading, Tuesday, February 19.

Oxfordshire, at Oxford, Thursday, February 21.

Worcestershire, at Worcester and City, Saturday,
February 23.

Radnorshire, at Presteigne, Tuesday, February 26.

Herefordshire, at Hereford, Wednesday, February 27.

Monmouthshire, at Monmouth, Friday, March 1.

Brecknockshire, at Brecon, Monday, March 4

Cardiganshire, at Cardigan, Wednesday, March 6.

Pembrokeshire, at Haverfordwest and Town, Friday, March 8.

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Carmarthenshire, at Carmarthen and Borough, Monday, March 11.

Glamorganshire, at Swansea, Wednesday, March 13.

Glamorganshire, at Cardiff, Friday, March 15.

Gloucestershire, at Gloucester and City, Monday, March 18.

At the City of Bristol, Thursday, March 21.

Somersetshire, at Bath, Saturday, March 23.

Somersetshire, at Wells, Tuesday, March 26.

Devonshire, at Exeter and City, Thursday, March 28.

Devonshire, at Plymouth, Monday, April 1.

Cornwall, at Bodmin, Wednesday, April 3.

Dorsetshire, at Dorchester, Saturday, April 6.

Wiltshire, at Salisbury, Monday, April 8.

At the Town of Southampton, Tuesday, April 9.

Hampshire, at Winchester, Wednesday, April 10.

NORTHERN CIRCUIT.

J. G. Harris, Esq. Commissioner.

Rutlandshire, at Oakham, Thursday, February 21.

Yorkshire, at Sheffield, Friday, February 22.

Yorkshire, at Wakefield, Monday, February 25.

At the City of York, Saturday, March 2.

Yorkshire, at York Castle, Monday, March 4.

At the Town of Kingston-upon-Hull, Wednesday, March 6.

Yorkshire, at Richmond, Friday, March 8.

Durham, at Durham, Saturday, March 9.

Northumberland, at Newcastle-upon-Tyne and Town, Tuesday, March 12.

Cumberland, at Carlisle, Friday, March 15.

Westmorland, at Appleby, Saturday, March 16.

Westmorland, at Kendal, same day.

Lancashire, at Lancaster, Monday, March 18.

Lancashire, at Preston, Monday, March 25.

Lancashire, at Liverpool, Tuesday, March 26.

Cheshire, at Chester and City, Thursday, March 28.

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Anglesey, at Beaumaris, Monday, April 1.
Carnarvonshire, at Carnarvon, Tuesday, April 2.
Merionethshire, at Dolgelly, Thursday, April 4.
Montgomeryshire, at Welch Pool, Saturday, April 6.
Denbighshire, at Ruthin, Tuesday, April 9.
Flintshire, at Mold, Wednesday, April 10.

MIDLAND CIRCUIT.

T. B. Bowen, Esq. Commissioner.

Essex, at Chelmsford, Friday, March 1.
Essex, at Colchester, Saturday, March 2.
Suffolk, at Ipswich, Monday, March 4.
Norfolk, at Yarmouth, Wednesday, March 6.
Norfolk, at Norwich and City, Thursday, March 7.
Norfolk, at Lynn, Saturday, March 9.
Suffolk, at Bury St. Edmunds, Monday, March 11.
Cambridgeshire, at Cambridge, Tuesday, March 12.
Huntingdonshire, at Huntingdon, Wednesday,
 March 13.
Northamptonshire, at Peterborough, Thursday,
 March 14.
Lincolnshire, at Lincoln and City, Friday, March 15.
At the Town of Nottingham, Monday, March 18.
Nottinghamshire, at Nottingham, Tuesday, March 19.
Derbyshire, at Derby, Wednesday, March 20.
Leicestershire, at Leicester, Friday, March 22.
At the City of Lichfield, Saturday, March 23.
Staffordshire, at Stafford, Monday, March 25.
Shropshire, at Shrewsbury, Thursday, March 28.
Warwickshire, at Birmingham, Saturday, March 30.
Shropshire, at Oldbury, Monday, April 1.
At the City of Coventry, Tuesday, April 2.
Warwickshire, at Warwick, Wednesday, April 3.
Northamptonshire, at Northampton, Saturday,
 April 6.
Bedfordshire, at Bedford, Monday, April 8.
Buckinghamshire, at Aylesbury, Tuesday, April 9.

HOME CIRCUIT.

W. J. Law, Esq. Commissioner.

Sussex, at Horsham, Tuesday, February 26.

At the City of Canterbury, Saturday, March 16.

Kent, at Dover, Monday, March 18.

Kent, at Maidstone, Tuesday, March 19.

Hertfordshire, at Hertford, Tuesday, March 26.

FROM THE

*LONDON GAZETTE of JANUARY 4,
1839.*

Foreign-Office, January 4, 1839.

THE Queen has been graciously pleased to approve of Mr. Frederick Engel as Consul, at Liverpool, for His Majesty the King of Denmark.

Crown-Office, January 4, 1839.

MEMBER returned to serve in this present
PARLIAMENT.

Stewartry of Kirkcudbright.

Alexander Murray, Esq. of Broughton, in the room of the Right Honourable Robert Cutlar Fergusson, deceased.

FROM THE
LONDON GAZETTE of JANUARY 8,
1839.

St. James's-Palace, January 4, 1839.

THE Queen has been pleased to appoint the Marchioness of Breadalbane, one of the Ladies of the Bedchamber to Her Majesty.

Downing-Street, January 5, 1839.

The Queen has been pleased to appoint James Stuart, Esq. to be Chief Justice of the Province of Lower Canada.

Downing-Street, January 5, 1839.

The Queen has been pleased to appoint Michael O'Sullivan, Esq. to be Chief Justice of the District of Montreal, in the Province of Lower Canada.

Downing-Street, January 5, 1839.

The Queen has been pleased to appoint Andrew Stuart, Esq. to be Solicitor-General of the Province of Lower Canada.

FROM THE
LONDON GAZETTE of JANUARY 11,
 1839.

Whitehall, January 11, 1839.

AN Address of congratulation on Her Majesty's Coronation, from the Mayor and Corporation of Great Yarmouth, having been transmitted to the Right Honourable Lord John Russell, one of Her Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State, was by him presented to Her Majesty, who was pleased to receive the same very graciously.

FROM THE
LONDON GAZETTE of JANUARY 18,
 1839.

Buckingham-Palace, January 17, 1839.

THIS day had audience of Her Majesty, Monsieur Galvao, Envoy Extraordinary and Minister Plenipotentiary from the Emperor of Brazil, to deliver his letter of recall :

To which he was introduced by Lord Viscount Palmerston, Her Majesty's Principal Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, and conducted by Sir Robert Chester, Knt. Master of the Ceremonies.

FROM THE
LONDON GAZETTE of JANUARY 22,
1839.

Downing-Street, January 21, 1839.

THE Chancellor of the Exchequer acknowledges the receipt of £20 10s. "Conscience Money," inclosed to him in a letter, dated the 14th instant.

Whitehall, January 19, 1839.

The Queen has been pleased to grant the place and dignity of the Deanry of Exeter unto the Right Honourable and Reverend Lord Wriothesley Russell, Master of Arts, in the room of Doctor Whittington Landon, deceased.

COURT OF QUEEN'S BENCH.

HILARY TERM, 1839.

2d Victoria, 19th January 1839.

This Court will, on the 1st day of February next, hold Sittings, and will proceed in disposing of the business in the Special Paper on the 1st, 4th, 5th, and 6th of February, and in the Crown Paper on the 2d of February.

The Tithe Commissioners for England and Wales have appointed John Job Rawlinson, Esq. of Graythwaite, in the county of Lancaster, Barrister at Law, to be an Assistant-Commissioner; and he has been duly sworn, according to the provisions of the Act for the commutation of tithes in England and Wales, before Anthony Preston, Esq. a Master Extraordinary in Chancery, on the 17th day of January 1839.

FROM THE
 LONDON GAZETTE of JANUARY 25,
 1839.

At the Court at *Windsor*, the 12th day of *December*.
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PRESENT,

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS by an Act, passed in the session of Parliament held in the sixth and seventh years of the reign of His late Majesty King William the Fourth, intituled "An Act for carrying into effect the reports of the Commissioners appointed to consider the state of the Established Church in England and Wales, with reference to ecclesiastical duties and revenues, so far as they relate to episcopal dioceses, revenues, and patronage," reciting, amongst other things, that His said late Majesty was pleased, on the fourth day of February, and on the sixth day of June, in the year one thousand eight hundred and thirty-five, to issue two several commissions to certain persons therein respectively named, directing them to consider the state of the several dioceses in England and Wales, with reference to the amount of their revenues, and the more equal distribution of episcopal duties, and the prevention of the necessity of attaching, by commendam, to bishoprics, benefices with cure of souls; and to consider also the state of the several cathedral and collegiate churches in England and

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Wales, with a view to the suggestion of such measures as might render them conducive to the efficiency of the Established Church, and to devise the best mode of providing for the cure of souls, with special reference to the residence of the clergy on their respective benefices; and reciting, that the said Commissioners had, in pursuance of such directions, made four several reports to His said late Majesty, bearing date respectively the seventeenth day of March one thousand eight hundred and thirty-five, and the fourth day of March, the twentieth day of May, and the twenty-fourth day of June, one thousand eight hundred and thirty-six; and reciting, that the said Commissioners had in their said reports, amongst other things, recommended that commissioners should be appointed by Parliament for the purpose of preparing and laying before His Majesty in Council, such schemes as should appear to them to be best adapted for carrying into effect the following, amongst other, recommendations; and that His Majesty in Council should be empowered to make Orders ratifying such schemes and having the full force of law; and that the sees of Saint Asaph and Bangor should be united; and that the bishops of the see of Saint Asaph and Bangor should be elected alternately by the dean and chapter of Saint Asaph and by the dean and chapter of Bangor; and that power should be given to determine the future mode of confirming such acts of the bishop of the united see as might require confirmation by a dean and chapter; and that upon the first avoidance of either of the sees of Saint Asaph or Bangor, the bishop of the other of the sees proposed to be united should become, *ipso facto*, bishop of the two sees, and thereupon become seized and possessed of all the property, advowsons, and patronage belonging to the see so avoided; and that two new sees should be erected in the province of York, one at Manchester, and the other at Ripon; and that the di-

diocese of Manchester should consist of the whole county of Lancaster, except the deanery of Furnes and Cartmel ; and that the bishops of the two newly erected sees should be made bodies corporate, and be invested with all the same rights and privileges as were then possessed by the other bishops of England and Wales ; and that they should be made subject to the metropolitan jurisdiction of the Archbishop of York ; and that the collegiate churches of Manchester and Ripon should be made the cathedrals, and that the chapters thereof should be the chapters of the respective sees of Manchester and Ripon, and should be invested with all the rights and powers of other cathedral chapters, and that the members of them, and of all other cathedral churches in England, should be styled deans and canons ; and that, in order to provide for the augmentation of the incomes of the smaller bishoprics, such fixed annual sums should be paid to the Commissioners, out of the revenues of the larger sees respectively, as should, upon due inquiry and consideration, be determined on, so as to leave as an average annual income, to the Archbishop of Canterbury fifteen thousand pounds, to the Archbishop of York ten thousand pounds, to the Bishop of London ten thousand pounds, to the Bishop of Durham eight thousand pounds, to the Bishop of Winchester seven thousand pounds, to the Bishop of Ely five thousand five hundred pounds, to the Bishop of Saint Asaph and Bangor five thousand two hundred pounds, and to the Bishops of Worcester and Bath and Wells, respectively, five thousand pounds ; and that, out of the fund thus accruing, fixed annual payments should be made by the Commissioners, in such instances and to such amount as should be in like manner determined on, so that the average annual incomes of the other bishops respectively should be not less than four thousand pounds, nor more than five thousand pounds ; and that fit residences should be provided for the

bishops of Lincoln, Llandaff, Rochester, Manchester, and Ripon; and that none of the proposed alterations affecting the boundaries or jurisdiction of any diocese, or the revenues belonging to any see, the bishop of which was in possession on the fourth day of March one thousand eight hundred and thirty-six, should take effect until the avoidance of the see, without the consent of such bishop :

It is enacted, amongst other things, that the Lord Archbishop of Canterbury for the time being, the Lord Archbishop of York, and the Lord Bishop of London for the time being, John Lord Bishop of Lincoln, James Henry Lord Bishop of Gloucester, the Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain, the Lord President of the Council, the Lord High Treasurer or the First Lord of the Treasury, and the Chancellor of the Exchequer for the time being respectively, and such one of His Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State as should be for that purpose nominated by His Majesty under His royal sign manual (such Lord Chancellor, Lord President, Lord High Treasurer or First Lord of the Treasury, Chancellor of the Exchequer, and Secretary of State being respectively members of the United Church of Great Britain and Ireland), the Right Honourable Dudley Earl of Harrowby, the Right Honourable Henry Hobhouse, and the Right Honourable Sir Herbert Jenner, Knight, should, for the purposes of the said Act, be one body politic and corporate, by the name of " the Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England," and by that name should have perpetual succession and a common seal :

And it is further enacted, that the said Commissioners should, from time to time, prepare and lay before His Majesty in Council such schemes as should appear to the said Commissioners to be best adapted for carrying into effect the thereinbefore recited recommendations,
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and should in such schemes recommend and propose such measures as might, upon further inquiry, which the said Commissioners were thereby authorised to make, appear to them to be necessary for carrying such recommendations into full and perfect effect; provided always, that nothing therein contained should be construed to prevent the said Commissioners from proposing, in any such scheme, such modifications or variations, as to matters of detail and regulation, as should not be substantially repugnant to any or either of the said recommendations :

And it is further enacted, that when any scheme, prepared under the authority of the said Act, should be approved by His Majesty in Council, it should be lawful for His Majesty in Council to issue an Order or Orders ratifying the same, and specifying the time or times when such scheme, or the several parts thereof, should take effect, and to direct in every such Order that the same should be registered by the registrar of each of the dioceses the bishops whereof might or should be in any respect affected thereby; and in any newly created diocese, by such person as should be for that purpose named in such Order, which person should, in such last mentioned diocese, become registrar there, and so continue as long as he should demean himself well in his office :

And it is further enacted, that every such Order should, as soon as might be after the making and issuing thereof by His Majesty in Council, be inserted and published in the London Gazette.

And it is further enacted, that, so soon as any such Order in Council should be so registered and gazetted, it should in all respects, and as to all things therein contained, have and be of the same force and effect as if all and every part thereof were included in the said Act, any law, statute, canon, letters patent,
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grant, usage, or custom to the contrary notwithstanding:

And whereas the said Commissioners, pursuant to the authority vested in them by the said Act, have duly prepared and laid before Her Majesty in Council a scheme, bearing date the twenty-eighth day of July one thousand eight hundred and thirty-eight, in the words and figures following, that is to say :

To the Queen's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

We, the Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England, appointed and incorporated by an Act, passed in the session of Parliament held in the sixth and seventh years of the reign of His late Majesty King William the Fourth, intituled “ An Act for carrying into effect the reports
“ of the Commissioners appointed to consider the
“ state of the Established Church in England and
“ Wales, with reference to ecclesiastical duties and
“ revenues, so far as they relate to episcopal
“ dioceses, revenues, and patronage,” have, in pursuance thereof, prepared, and now humbly lay before your Majesty in Council, the following scheme for carrying into effect part of the recommendations in the said Act contained, relating to the sees and dioceses of Saint Asaph, Bangor, Saint David's, and Llandaff, and to the erection of the bishopric of Manchester.

We humbly recommend and propose, that when either of the said sees of Saint Asaph and Bangor shall become vacant by death or translation, or otherwise, the bishop who shall succeed thereto shall take the same, subject to the provisions and conditions hereinafter recommended and proposed; and that every future bishop succeeding to the same see shall take the same, subject to the same provisions and conditions; and that when the other of the said two sees shall then next become vacant,
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the said sees and dioceses of Saint Asaph and Bangor shall forthwith become and be permanently united, and shall, when so united, be called and known by the name of the see and diocese of Saint Asaph and Bangor.

And we further recommend and propose, that, upon such union as aforesaid, the Bishop of Saint Asaph or of Bangor, as the case may be, who shall be then in possession of the see which shall have first become vacant, shall become and be the bishop of the said see and diocese of Saint Asaph and Bangor, and shall, without any other act, deed, form, or proceeding whatsoever, other than such Order or Orders as it may please your Majesty in Council to issue in pursuance of this scheme, and under the authority of the said Act of Parliament, become absolutely confirmed in the bishopric of Saint Asaph and Bangor, and *ipso facto* seized and possessed of all the property, revenues, advowsons, and patronage then respectively belonging to both the said sees, and of all the episcopal jurisdiction, power, and authority then and theretofore possessed and exercised by the bishops thereof respectively.

And we further recommend and propose, that the said Bishop of Saint Asaph or Bishop of Bangor, as the case may be, who shall succeed to the said see of Saint Asaph and Bangor, shall be exempted and relieved from the payment of first fruits, and of all costs, charges, fees, and expences whatsoever in respect of his becoming bishop of Saint Asaph and Bangor.

And we further recommend and propose, that the said bishop and his successors, bishops of the said see and diocese, shall be one body corporate, by the name of the bishop of Saint Asaph and Bangor, and by that name shall have perpetual succession and a common seal, and shall and may by that name sue and be sued, and shall and may take and hold all lands, tithes, advowsons, tenements, and hereditaments,

ments belonging, at the time of such union as aforesaid, either to the see of Saint Asaph or to the see of Bangor, or which may be granted to the said Bishop of Saint Asaph and Bangor, or to his successors, by your Majesty, your heirs, and successors, or by any other person or persons whatsoever, and may give or grant the same, and make leases, and enjoy and do all other rights and acts in respect of the same, in as full and perfect a manner as other bishops of England and Wales, but not otherwise.

And we further recommend and propose, that the said Bishop of Saint Asaph and Bangor, and his successors, bishops of Saint Asaph and Bangor, shall occupy a seat both in the cathedral church of Saint Asaph and in the cathedral church of Bangor, and shall possess and exercise the same authority and jurisdiction, ordinary and visitatorial, over the deans and chapters thereof respectively, as shall, previously to such union as aforesaid, have been possessed and exercised by bishops of Saint Asaph and bishops of Bangor respectively.

And we further recommend and propose, that all such episcopal acts, gifts, grants, and leases performed and made by the Bishop of Saint Asaph and Bangor, and by his successors, bishops of Saint Asaph and Bangor, as may require confirmation under the common seal of a dean and chapter, shall be presented for confirmation to the dean and chapter of the cathedral church, either of Saint Asaph or of Bangor, accordingly as the right of confirmation thereof would have belonged to the one or to the other dean and chapter, if the union of the two sees had not taken place; and that every such act, gift, grant, and lease, being so confirmed by such dean and chapter, shall be good and valid.

And we further recommend and propose, that, upon the first avoidance of the said see of Saint Asaph and Bangor, the warrant for the election of a person to be the bishop thereof shall issue to the
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dean and chapter of the cathedral church of Saint Asaph; and that upon all future avoidances of the said see, the warrant for the election of a bishop thereof shall issue alternately to the dean and chapter of the cathedral church of Bangor and to the dean and chapter of the cathedral church of Saint Asaph.

And we further recommend and propose, that, for the purposes of the said Act, and so as to leave to the Bishop of Saint Asaph and Bangor the average annual income of five thousand two hundred pounds, as near as may be, the said Bishop of Saint Asaph and Bangor, and his successors, bishops of Saint Asaph and Bangor for the time being, shall pay, or cause to be paid, to our credit into the Bank of England to an account intituled "Account with the Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England," the fixed annual sum of four thousand seven hundred and fifty pounds in every year, by equal half yearly payments, the first of such payments to be made at the end of six calendar months from the day of such union as aforesaid; and that whenever a vacancy of the said see of Saint Asaph and Bangor shall happen on any other day than the half-yearly day of payment so calculated as aforesaid, then the next half yearly payment shall be apportioned between the bishop making the vacancy, or his representatives, and the bishop succeeding to the said see, according to the time which shall have elapsed from the last half yearly day of payment to the day of the vacancy inclusive; and such proportions shall be paid by the respective parties accordingly.

And we further recommend and propose, that in order to raise the average annual income of the Bishop of Saint David's, for the time being, to the sum of four thousand five hundred pounds, as near as may be, there shall be paid by us to the bishop who, upon the first avoidance of the said see, shall succeed thereto, and to his successors bishops of

Saint David's for the time being, out of such moneys as aforesaid, or out of such other moneys as shall from time to time be standing to our account in the Bank of England, being part of any payments from the larger sees respectively, towards the augmentation of the incomes of the bishops of the smaller sees, the fixed annual sum of one thousand six hundred pounds, by equal half-yearly payments in every year; and that, in order to raise the average annual income of the Bishop of Llandaff for the time being to the sum of four thousand two hundred pounds, as near as may be, there shall be paid by us to the bishop who, upon the first avoidance of the same see, shall succeed thereto, and to his successors, bishops of Llandaff for the time being, out of the same moneys, the fixed annual sum of three thousand one hundred and fifty pounds, by equal half-yearly payments in every year; the first of such payments to be made at the end of six calendar months from the day of such avoidance in each case respectively; and that whenever thereafter a vacancy in either of the said sees of Saint David's and Llandaff shall happen on any other day than the half-yearly day of payment so calculated as aforesaid, the next half-yearly payment shall be apportioned between the bishop making the vacancy, or his representatives, and the bishop succeeding to the see, according to the time which shall have elapsed from the last half-yearly day of payment to the day of the vacancy inclusive, and such proportions shall be paid to the respective parties accordingly.

And we further recommend and propose, that, until an episcopal house of residence shall be provided for the said see of Llandaff, the bishop who, upon such avoidance as aforesaid, shall succeed to the same see, and his successors, bishops of Llandaff for the time being, shall, out of the same moneys, and in like manner and by like half-yearly payments,

ments, and subject to a like apportionment in case of a vacancy, receive the further fixed annual sum of three hundred pounds.

And whereas the amount of the moneys from time to time applicable to the purposes aforesaid, and to the augmentation of any other of the smaller sees upon vacancies occurring therein respectively, will depend on the contingency of vacancies occurring among the larger sees from which payments are hereafter to be made towards such purposes, and the amount of the demand upon such moneys will depend on the contingency of vacancies occurring among the said smaller sees; and it may, therefore, happen that the demands upon such moneys may for a time exceed the amount thereof, we further recommend and propose, that if at the commencement of any half year calculated from the first day of January to the last day of June, and from the first day of July to the last day of December respectively, it shall appear to us that there will, in the current half year, be a deficiency of the said moneys to pay the sums then charged thereon and payable in the same half year, it shall be lawful for us to resolve that a deduction be made from the sums payable in the same half year to the bishops of Saint David's and Llandaff respectively, and to each of the bishops of the other smaller sees who, by virtue of any other scheme prepared or to be prepared by us, and of any Order or Orders of your Majesty in Council for ratifying the same, shall then be entitled to payments in augmentation of their respective incomes, so as to keep the sums to be paid during the same half year within the amount of the moneys applicable as aforesaid, during such half year; and to calculate such deduction in proportion to the sums herein-named, and which may in each such other scheme as aforesaid be named as the amount of the future annual average income of each see respectively;

and that upon the amount of every such deduction being certified, by us or by our secretary, to the bishop to be affected thereby, within fourteen days after the commencement of such half year, the said bishop shall have no present claim to any greater sum than the residue of his half yearly payment, after such deduction as aforesaid, nor any future claim, except as is hereinafter mentioned; that is to say, that so soon thereafter as the sums to be paid to us in any half year, applicable to the purposes aforesaid, shall exceed the sums to be paid by us for those purposes within the same half year, we shall be authorized and bound to divide the surplus rateably among the bishops from whose payments such deductions shall have been made, or the representatives of such of them as shall be dead, and so from half year to half year until the whole sums deducted shall be paid; the deductions of one half year to be paid before any payment shall be made on account of the deductions of any subsequent half year.

And whereas the consent of the right Reverend John Bird, Bishop of Chester, has been obtained to such arrangements affecting his see and diocese, as are necessary to the erection of the proposed new bishoprick of Manchester, in testimony whereof he has signed and sealed this scheme; we humbly recommend and propose, that, upon such union of the sees of Saint Asaph and Bangor taking effect as aforesaid, the collegiate church of Manchester shall forthwith be constituted and become, and shall for ever thereafter be a cathedral church, and the seat of a bishop within the said province of York, and that the then warden and fellows thereof shall from thenceforth be called dean and canons, and that the said dean and canons shall be the dean and chapter of the said church, and shall be subject to all such future orders and regulations as may be there-

thereafter made by competent authority touching the said cathedral church, or the said dean and chapter thereof. ✓

And we further recommend and propose, that the whole county of Lancaster, in the diocese of Chester, excepting the deanry of Furnes and Cartmel, shall, at the same time, be detached and dissevered from the said diocese of Chester, and shall be made and constituted, and shall become and be, and for ever thereafter be called and known by the name of the diocese of Manchester; and that all parishes and places, churches and chapels, and the whole clergy and others your Majesty's subjects within the limits thereof shall be exempted and released from all jurisdiction, authority, and control of the see of Chester, and shall be under and subject to the episcopal jurisdiction, authority, and control of the bishop of Manchester, to be duly constituted as hereinafter provided, and of his successors, bishops of Manchester, for ever.

And we further recommend and propose, that such person as shall be duly elected by the said dean and chapter in pursuance of a warrant from your Majesty in that behalf, and shall be duly confirmed and consecrated according to law, shall become bishop of the see and diocese of Manchester, and shall be invested with all the same and the like rights, privileges, dignities, power, jurisdiction, and authority as have heretofore been, and now are, possessed by the respective bishops of England and Wales.

And we further recommend and propose, that the said bishop, and his successors, bishops of the said new see, shall be one body corporate, by the name of the Bishop of Manchester, and by that name shall have perpetual succession, and a common seal, and shall and may by that name sue and be sued, and shall have power and authority to take and hold
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all lands, tithes, advowsons, tenements, and hereditaments, whatsoever and wheresoever, which may be given or granted to him or them by your Majesty, your heirs and successors, or by any other person or persons whatsoever, and may give or grant the same, and make leases, and enjoy and do all other rights and acts in respect of the same in as full and perfect a manner as other bishops of England and Wales, but not otherwise.

And we further recommend and propose, that the said collegiate church shall become, and shall for ever thereafter be, the cathedral church of the said bishop, and of his successors, bishops of Manchester, and shall be invested with all the honours, dignities, and privileges of an episcopal seat, and that the said Bishop of Manchester, and his successors, bishops of Manchester, shall enjoy and exercise the like episcopal pre-eminence, jurisdiction, power, and authority within and over the said cathedral church, and the aforesaid diocese of Manchester, in as full and ample a manner as other bishops of England and Wales within and over their respective dioceses, and the cathedral churches thereof, and shall be subject to the jurisdiction of the Archbishop of York, and his successors; and that the said bishop, and the said dean and chapter of Manchester, and all archdeacons, and the whole clergy, and others your Majesty's subjects within the said diocese of Manchester, shall own obedience to the said Archbishop of York as their metropolitan.

And we further recommend and propose, that the said Bishop of Manchester, and his successors, bishops of Manchester, and the said dean and chapter of the cathedral church of Manchester, and their successors, shall have full power and authority to do all acts and deeds, whether jointly or severally, as the case may be, within the said diocese of Manchester, in like manner, and as fully and effectually as any other bishop, and the dean and chapter of any
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other cathedral church may now do, either jointly or severally, as the case may be, within the said province of York.

And we further recommend and propose, that, upon the foundation of the see of Manchester as aforesaid, the bishop thereof, and his successors, bishops of Manchester, shall be endowed with an average annual income of four thousand five hundred pounds, by the transfer of lands, tithes, or other hereditaments, from some other see or sees, or partly by such transfer, and partly by a fixed annual payment out of any moneys which shall be in our hands applicable to such purpose.

And we further recommend and propose, that nothing herein contained shall prevent us from recommending and proposing further measures relating to the said sees or dioceses of Saint Asaph and Bangor, Saint David's, Llandaff, Chester, and Manchester respectively, in conformity with the provisions of the said Act.

All which we humbly recommend and propose to your Majesty in Council.

In witness whereof we have hereunto set our common seal, this twenty-eighth day of July one thousand eight hundred and thirty-eight.

And whereas the said scheme has been approved by Her Majesty in Council; and Her Majesty, by and with the advice of Her said Council, was pleased, on the seventh day of September one thousand eight hundred and thirty-eight, to ratify the said scheme, and to order and direct that the same, and every part thereof, should take effect immediately from and after the time when the same should have been registered as thereafter directed, and should have been duly published in the London Gazette pursuant to the said Act; and Her Majesty, by and with the like advice, was pleased thereby to direct, that the said Order should be forthwith

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registered by the several registrars of the several dioceses of Saint Asaph, Bangor, Saint David's, Llandaff, and Chester: and whereas doubts have been entertained as to the validity of the said Order, by reason of no direction having been thereby given for the registering of such Order by any person as registrar of the diocese of Manchester, and it has, therefore, been deemed expedient that the same should be again confirmed and registered as hereinafter directed; now, therefore, Her Majesty, by and with the advice of Her said Council, is pleased hereby to ratify the said scheme, and to order and direct that the same, and every part thereof, shall take effect immediately from and after the time when this Order shall have been registered as hereinafter directed, and shall have been duly published in the London Gazette, pursuant to the said Act: and Her Majesty, by and with the like advice, is pleased hereby to direct, that this Order be forthwith registered, not only by the several registrars of the several dioceses of Saint Asaph, Bangor, Saint David's, Llandaff, and Chester, but also by John Murray, of Chancery-lane, London, scrivener, in a book to be by him provided and kept for the purpose, and which shall become and be the registry of the diocese of Manchester.

C. C. Greville.

Buckingham-Palace, January 24, 1839.

This day had audience of Her Majesty, Prince Michael Souzou, Extraordinary and Minister Plenipotentiary from the King of Greece, to deliver his letter of recall:

To which he was introduced by Lord Viscount Palmerston, Her Majesty's Principal Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, and conducted by Sir Robert Chester, Knt. Master of the Ceremonies.

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December 14, 1838.

Her Majesty has been pleased to approve of the appointment of Sir Francis Palgrave, Knt. to be the Deputy Keeper of the Records.

In the COMMON PLEAS.

Hilary Term, in the second Year of the Reign of Queen Victoria.

This Court will, on Tuesday the 5th day of February next, hold Sittings, and will proceed in disposing of the business now pending in the Paper of New Trials, on the said 5th day of February and the two following days.

And will proceed in disposing of the business now pending in the Special Paper, on Friday the 8th day of the same month and on the following day.

By the Court.

COURT OF EXCHEQUER.

Hilary Term, 2d Victoria, 24th January 1839.

This Court will, on Tuesday the 5th day of February next, hold Sittings, and will proceed in disposing of the business now pending in the Paper of New Trials, on the said 5th day of the said month and the four following days.

By the Court.

FROM THE
SUPPLEMENT
TO THE

LONDON GAZETTE of JANUARY 25,
1839.

Colonial-Office, Downing-Street, January 26, 1839.

A DISPATCH has been received from Lieutenant-Governor Sir George Arthur, K. C. H. dated Government-house, Toronto, 13th December 1838, of which the following is an extract:

Extract of a Dispatch from Lieutenant-Governor Sir George Arthur, K. C. H. to Lord Glenelg, dated Government-house, Toronto, December 13, 1838.

AT daylight, on the 4th instant, a body of ruffians, amounting to about four hundred men, landed at Moy, near the village of Windsor, about three miles above Sandwich, when, having set fire to and destroyed a steam-boat which was lying there, they proceeded to consume the barracks and two adjoining houses, at Windsor, in which two militia men were burned to death, shot the sentry, killed a man of colour, who refused to join them, and in the most cold-blooded and inhuman manner murdered Assistant Staff Surgeon Hume, who, unarmed, accidentally fell into their hands, mutilating his body with an axe and bowie knives.

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Tidings of the enormities perpetrated having reached Sandwich, the militia, stationed at that post, speedily turned out, marched on Windsor, attacked the ruffians, and, in a few minutes, completely routed them; twenty-five were killed, and as many taken prisoners, and of the rest, who were dispersed, some effected their escape to Hog Island, on the American side, while others fled into the woods, where several of them have been since apprehended.

The District Order, which has been published, and of which copies are herewith transmitted, (No. 1, December 10, 1838,) details the particulars of this atrocious outrage, and they are accompanied with Colonel Airey's dispatch (No. 2).

The descent made on Windsor was but a feint, the intention being, as General Brady, of the United States' Army, apprized Colonel Airey, who was commanding at Fort Malden, to surprise that garrison, under the expectation that the 34th regiment would have moved off to support the militia, at Sandwich, distant eighteen miles. In this, however, the brigands were completely disappointed.

At Sandwich, your Lordship is aware, there exists a French Canadian population, and, I am sure, Her Majesty's Government will learn, with great satisfaction, that they turned out as loyal subjects in the defence of the country on this occasion.

Toronto, December 10, 1838.

DISTRICT GENERAL ORDER.

HIS Excellency Major-General Sir George Arthur, feels much pleasure in communicating to the regular forces, and militia, the gratifying information received by him from the western frontier.

A large body of pirates and brigands, belonging to

the hostile combination in the neighbouring country, which has, of late, so much disturbed the peace of this province, after assembling in the neighbourhood of Detroit, and shewing themselves at different points in the vicinity, at length had the hardihood to effect a landing near Windsor, about three miles from Sandwich, on the morning of the 4th instant, where they immediately commenced their work of destruction, by burning a steam-boat, called the *Thames*, and a house used as a barrack, making prisoners a small, but gallant party of militia, quartered therein, who, in defending themselves against the attacking banditti, shot their leader, and eventually effected their escape.

During the short time the brigands remained unmolested at Windsor, they used every effort, in vain, to induce the inhabitants to join them, and murdered one man, upon his refusal to take up arms against his country.

Staff Assistant-Surgeon Hunie, a most worthy and meritorious officer, was also inhumanly murdered by the same body, although quite unarmed, and without offering them the slightest resistance.

On the intelligence of these outrages reaching Sandwich, the brave and gallant militia lost no time in assembling; and, under the command of Colonel Prince, a spirited attack was forthwith made upon this wicked and inhuman banditti, who fled with precipitation to the woods, leaving behind them twenty-six of their number killed, and twenty-five prisoners. Several more of this band of murderers have since been captured; and from the inclemency of the season, there is every reason to conclude that the remainder will be taken, or must perish in the woods.

It affords his Excellency the Lieutenant-Governor sincere pleasure to notice the unanimity and alacrity displayed by the militia, in which the inhabitants, whether of British or Canadian-origin, vied with each

each other in zeal and intrepidity, in attacking and defeating this band of ruffians, as well as of performing the harassing duty of guarding the portion of the frontier left to their charge.

To Captain Broderick, and the detachments of the royal artillery and 34th regiment, from Amherstburgh, much praise is due for their alacrity and zeal.

Of Captains Bell, Sparke, Leslie, Thebo, Elliott, and the militia under their command, as well as of many gentlemen of Sandwich, who assisted in the attack and defeat of the invading force, Colonel Prince makes honourable mention; and to those officers, as well as to the other officers and men engaged, his Excellency returns his sincere thanks.

These facts, in addition to the complete overthrow of the invading force at Prescott, cannot fail to undeceive the criminal accomplices who remained behind their piratical associates, on the American shore, of the utter hopelessness of their attempts either to intimidate or corrupt the faithful and loyal people of Upper Canada, and if we have to appeal in vain to their feelings, and to the laws of both nations, which they so unjustly violate, in making unprovoked war upon this province, common prudence it may be hoped, will prevent their exposing themselves to the defeat and ignominious punishment which have hitherto attended their atrocious and infatuated attempts to invade Upper Canada.

It is pleasing to his Excellency the Lieutenant-Governor and Major-General Commanding to announce, that the loss of Her Majesty's subjects, with the exception of the victims of the murders before stated, has been very small, only two men being killed, and two slightly wounded, in the pursuit of the enemy.

By command,

C. FOSTER, Colonel, Assist. Adj. Gen.

(Copy.)

(Copy.)

Amherstburg, W. F., 12 o'clock at night,
 SIR, *December 4, 1838.*

I HAVE the honour to acquaint you, for the information of his Excellency the Major-General Commanding, that a party of brigands, amounting to three hundred and fifty men, as has been stated to me by the prisoners taken, and now lodged in the Sandwich Gaol, landed this morning by day-light: a little above Windsor-ferry, about nineteen miles above this post, and about three from Sandwich.

They immediately set fire to a hired house used as a Militia Barrack, a short distance out of the village, which was burnt to the ground.

They also set fire to and burnt the steamer Thames, which, in consequence of having within the last few days burst her boiler, was laying at a small wharf close to the above house, without any one in her, preparatory to being repaired.

Captain Sparke, of Incorporated Volunteer Company, and some militia under Colonel Prince, immediately turned out from Sandwich and proceeded against these ruffians, and, after a few exchanges of shot, dispersed them; the brigands crossing the fields and taking to the woods, where Colonel Prince did not consider it prudent to allow his men to follow them.

On the first intimation of the landing, which was effected by the United States steamer Champlain, Colonel Prince informed me of it; I immediately sent up Captain Broderick, 34th Regiment, and one hundred men (in waggons), who had been ready all night to move at a moment's notice, and one nine pounder brass field gun, with a detachment of artillery.

This party arrived at eleven A. M. and immediately

ately proceeded in pursuit, but the brigands had so dispersed towards the woods that nothing could be seen of them, except in one boat crossing the river, which was fired upon by the gun, and one man killed and one wounded.

The pursuit by parties of militia in the woods is still going on, but up to three hours ago, only nine prisoners had been taken, and are now lodged in Sandwich gaol.

It is with great regret that I have to report that Staff Assistant-Surgeon Hume was killed by these ruffians early in the morning. He went close up to them, seeing them drawn up in line three deep, with white cross belts on, imagining them to be provincial militia, when he was shot dead. His corpse was afterwards mangled and both his arms broken.

The Erie, United States Steamer, with a detachment of United States troops on board, was very active in trying to cut off the brigands and take prisoners, and fired several shots at them.

I rode up to Sandwich this evening and collected these details, but have not yet received the official report of the proceedings from Colonel Prince; but the number killed on the part of the brigands amounts, by Colonel Prince's verbal statement, to twenty-five—wounded unknown; but I saw three wounded amongst the prisoners, and it is stated several were carried off by their own party.

On the part of the militia, there were two men burnt in the barracks, and one shot.

During the time I was at Sandwich, General Brady sent over two Gentlemen, Judge Ingersoll and Mr. Elliot Grey, from Detroit, to state that it was the positive intention of the patriots to make an attack in force upon Amherstburg this night.

I have consequently withdrawn Captain Broderick's party from Sandwich, especially as I do not suppose they will renew the attack there so soon.

I have the honour to transmit copies of two let-

letters found in the pockets of one of the killed, which pretty clearly illustrate the feelings and projects of these villains.

I have the honour to be, &c.

(Signed) RICHARD AIREY,
Lieut.-Col. 34th Regiment.
Commanding W. F.

*The Assistant Adjutant-General,
Toronto.*

FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of JANUARY 29,
1839.

From the DUBLIN GAZETTE of Friday,
January 25, 1839.

*Crown and Hanaper-Office,
January 19, 1839.*

IN pursuance of an Act, passed in the fortieth year of the reign of His late Majesty King George the Third, intituled "An Act to regulate the mode by which the Lords Spiritual and Temporal, and the Commons, to serve in the Parliament of the United Kingdom, on the part of Ireland, shall be summoned and returned to the said Parliament," I do hereby give notice, that the Right Honourable John Viscount De Vesci has been chosen to be the Peer to sit and vote, on the part of Ireland, in the House of Lords of the United Kingdom, in the room of John Baron Farnham, deceased.

C. Fitz-Simon,
Clerk of the Crown and Hanaper.

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Whitehall, January 25, 1839.

The Queen has been pleased to appoint George Cornwall Lewis, Esq. one of the Poor Law Commissioners for England and Wales, in the room of the Right Honourable Thomas Frankland Lewis, resigned.

Whitehall, January 29, 1839.

The Queen has been pleased to direct letters patent to be passed under the Great Seal of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, granting unto Joseph Hawker, Esq. Norroy King of Arms, the office of Clarenceux King of Arms, and Principal Herald of the south, east, and west parts of England, the same having become vacant by the decease of Edmund Lodge, Esq. late Clarenceux.

Whitehall, January 29, 1839.

The Queen has been pleased to direct letters patent to be passed under the Great Seal of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, granting unto Francis Martin, Esq. Windsor Herald, the office of Norroy King of Arms, and Principal Herald of the north parts of England, vacant by the promotion of Joseph Hawker, Esq. to the office of Clarenceux King of Arms.

FROM THE
 SUPPLEMENT
 TO THE

LONDON GAZETTE of JANUARY 29,
 1839.

Lord Chamberlain's-Office, January 30, 1839.

ORDERS for the Court's going into mourning, to-morrow, Thursday, the 31st instant, for Her late Royal Highness the Princess Mary of Orleans, Consort of the Duke Alexander of Wurtemberg, viz.

The Ladies to wear black silk, fringed or plain linen, white gloves, necklaces and ear-rings, black or white shoes, fans and tippets.

The Gentlemen to wear black, full trimmed, fringed or plain linen, black swords and buckles.

The Court to change the mourning on Thursday the 7th of February next, viz.

The Ladies to wear black silk or velvet, coloured ribbons, fans and tippets, or plain white, or white and gold, or white and silver stuffs, with black ribbons.

The Gentlemen to wear black coats, and black or plain white, or white and gold, or white and silver stuff waistcoats, full trimmed, coloured swords and buckles.

And on Thursday the 14th of February next, the Court to go out of mourning.

FROM THE
LONDON GAZETTE of FEBRUARY 1,
 1839.

Buckingham-Palace, January 29, 1839.

THIS day the Count Sebastiani, Ambassador Extraordinary from the King of the French, had an audience of Her Majesty, to deliver a letter from his Sovereign :

To which he was introduced by Lord Viscount Palmerston, Her Majesty's Principal Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, and conducted by the Master of the Ceremonies.

Whitehall, February 1, 1839.

The Queen has been pleased to direct letters patent to be passed under the Great Seal of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, granting unto Robert Laurie, Esq. Rouge Croix, Pursuivant of Arms, the office of Windsor Herald, vacant by the promotion of Francis Martin, Esq. to the office of Norroy King of Arms.

Whitehall, February 1, 1839.

The Queen has been pleased to direct letters patent to be passed under the Great Seal of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, granting unto William Courthope, Gent. the office of Rouge Croix, Pursuivant of Arms, vacant by the promotion of Robert Laurie, Esq. to the office of Windsor Herald.

Poor Law Commission-Office, Somerset-Place, January 30, 1839.

George Cornewall Lewis, of Harpton-court, in the county of Radnor, Esq. previously to his entering on the execution of his office of Poor Law Commissioner, took the oath required by the 4th and 5th William 4th, cap. 76, sec. 11, on this present 30th day of January 1839, at Westminster-hall, before the Honourable Mr. Justice Littledale, one of the Judges of Her Majesty's Court of Queen's Bench.

And this is further to give notice, in pursuance of the Act, 1st and 2d Victoria, cap. 56, intituled "An Act for the more effectual relief of the destitute poor in Ireland," that the said George Cornewall Lewis is one of the Commissioners directed by the said Act to carry the provisions of the same into execution.

E. Chadwick, Secretary.

FROM THE
SUPPLEMENT

TO THE
LONDON GAZETTE of FEBRUARY 1,
1839.

Lord Great Chamberlain's-Office, House of Lords,
February 2, 1839.

ALL Peeresses, on announcing their intention of being present on the occasion of Her Majesty opening Parliament, on Tuesday the 5th of February, will have places reserved for them in the House of Lords, if the announcement be made at this Office, before five o'clock on Monday evening the 4th of February.

No Lady can be admitted into the body of the House, except in full dress.

No strangers will be admitted, except by a ticket from the Lord Great Chamberlain's Office.

The doors will be opened at twelve o'clock.

(Signed) WILLOUGHBY D'ERESBY, G. C.

FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of FEBRUARY 5,
1839.

Lord Chamberlain's-Office, February 4, 1839.

NOTICE is hereby given, that Her Majesty will hold Levees, at St. James's-Palace, on Wednesday the 20th instant, and on Wednesday the 6th day of March next, at two o'clock.

REGULATIONS TO BE OBSERVED AT THE QUEEN'S
LEVEES, AT ST. JAMES'S-PALACE.

The Noblemen and Gentlemen who propose to attend Her Majesty's Levees at St. James's-Palace, are requested to bring with them two cards with their names thereon written, one to be left with the Queen's Page in attendance in the Presence-Chamber, and the other to be delivered to the Lord in Waiting, who will announce the name to Her Majesty. And those Gentlemen who are to be presented are hereby informed, it is absolutely necessary that their names, with the name of the Gentleman who is to present them (not the Lord in Waiting), should be sent to the Lord Chamberlain's Office, *before twelve o'clock on Monday the 18th*, for those who will attend the Levee on the 20th of February, *and before twelve o'clock on Monday the 4th*, for those who will attend the Levee on the 6th of March, *and before twelve o'clock*

o'clock on the day but one previous to each succeeding Levee, in order that they may be submitted for the Queen's approbation ; it being Her Majesty's command, that no presentation shall hereafter be made at the Levees, but in conformity with the above regulations ; and further, that no person shall be admitted, on any pretence whatever, who has not been so presented.

It is particularly requested, that Gentlemen who are to be presented at the Levees will have their names *distinctly* written upon the card to be delivered to the Lord in Waiting, in order that there may be no mistake in announcing them to the Queen.

The state apartments will not be open for the reception of Company coming to Court, until half past one o'clock.

Lord Chamberlain's-Office, February 4, 1839.

BY COMMAND OF HER MAJESTY.

NOTICE is hereby given, that all persons having Petitions or Addresses to present to Her Majesty at the Levee, are to write on two cards, with their names, a statement of the object of such Petitions or Addresses, and of the persons from whom they come ; one card to be delivered to the Page in the Ante-Room, and the other to the Lord in Waiting, who will read its contents, at the time of presentation, to Her Majesty ; and that, on these occasions, no other statement is to be addressed to Her Majesty.

At the Court at *Buckingham-Palace*, the 4th day of
February 1839,

PRESENT,

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

SHERIFFS appointed by Her Majesty in Council,
for the Year 1839.

<i>Buckinghamshire</i> ,	Levi Ames, of East Hyde, Esq.
<i>Berkshire</i> ,	Mortimer George Thoms, of Sulhamstead-House, Esq.
<i>Buckinghamshire</i> ,	Benjamin Way, of Denham, Esq.
<i>Cambs & Hunt.</i>	Sir Richard Hussey Hussey, of the Views, Huntingdon, Knt.
<i>Cheshire</i> ,	Thomas Hibbert, of Birles, Esq.
<i>Cornwall</i> ,	Sir Richard Rawlinson Vyvian, of Trebawren, Bart.
<i>Cumberland</i> ,	Thomas Hardley, of Gilkison, Esq.
<i>Derbyshire</i> ,	Broughton Benjamin Pegge Burnell, of Beauchief-Abbey, Esq.
<i>Devonshire</i> ,	Codrington Parr of Stoneland, Esq.
<i>Derbyshire</i> ,	Joseph Woll, of East Lul- worth, Esq.
<i>Dorsetshire</i> ,	Sir William Chaytor, of Winton- Castle, Bart.
<i>Essex</i> ,	John Fletcher Mills, of Lenden- Park, Esq.

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<i>Gloucestershire,</i>	Maynard Colchester, of Westbury-on-Severn, Esq.
<i>Herefordshire,</i>	John Higford, of Abbey Dore, Esq.
<i>Hertfordshire,</i>	Charles Benet Drake Garrard, of Wheathamstead, Esq.
<i>Kent,</i>	David Salomons, of Broom-Hill, Tunbridge, Esq.
<i>Leicestershire,</i>	Edward Dawson, of Whatton-House, Esq.
<i>Lincolnshire,</i>	George Fieschi Heneage, of Hainton-Hall, Esq.
<i>Monmouthshire,</i>	Colthurst Bateman, of Pertholey, Esq.
<i>Norfolk,</i>	Sir Thomas Hare, of Stow Bardolph, Bart.
<i>Northamptonshire,</i>	William Drayson, of Floore-Fields-House, Esq.
<i>Northumberland,</i>	John Davidson, of Ridley-Hall, Esq.
<i>Nottinghamshire,</i>	John Evelyn Denison, of Ossington, Esq.
<i>Oxfordshire,</i>	John Harrison Slater Harrison, of Shelswell, Esq.
<i>Rutlandshire,</i>	John Monkton, of Seaton, Esq.
<i>Shropshire,</i>	Peter Broughton, of Tunstall, Esq.
<i>Somersetshire,</i>	Sir William Coles Medlycott, of Milborne Port, Bart.
<i>Staffordshire,</i>	William Moore, of Wychdon-Lodge, Esq.
<i>County of South-</i> <i>ampton,</i>	} John Mills, of Bistern Ringwood, Esq.

<i>Suffolk,</i>	Arthur John Brooke, of Horningsheath, Esq.
<i>Surrey,</i>	Samuel Paynter, of Richmond, Esq.
<i>Sussex,</i>	Thomas Frewen, of Brickwall-House, Northiam, Esq.
<i>Warwickshire,</i>	Sir Francis Lawley, of Middleton-Hall, Bart.
<i>Wiltshire,</i>	Charles Lewis Phipps, of Wans-House, Esq.
<i>Worcestershire,</i>	William Congreve Russell, of Kingsheath, Esq.
<i>Yorkshire,</i>	Charles Robert Tempest, of Broughton, Esq.

NORTH WALES.

<i>Anglesey,</i>	James Greenfield, of Rhyddgaer, Esq.
<i>Carnarvonshire,</i>	John Williams, of Hendregadno, Esq.
<i>Denbighshire,</i>	Sir John Williams, of Bodlewyddan, Bart.
<i>Flintshire,</i>	John Offley Crewe Read, of Hawarden, Esq.
<i>Merionethshire,</i>	The Honourable Edward Mostyn Lloyd Mostyn, of Plashen.
<i>Montgomeryshire,</i>	David Hamer, of Glanrafon, Esq.

SOUTH WALES.

<i>Breconshire,</i>	John Lloyd, of Dinas, Esq.
<i>Cardiganshire,</i>	The Honourable George Vaughan, of Cwmwydion, Esq.

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<i>Carmarthenshire,</i>	John Edward Saunders, of Glanrhydwr, Esq.
<i>Glamorganshire,</i>	Charles Henry Smith, of Gwernllwynwith, Esq.
<i>Pembrokeshire,</i>	Gilbert William Warren Davis, of Mullock, Esq.
<i>Radnorshire,</i>	Henry Lingen, of Penlanoley, Esq.

Duchy of Lancaster, February 5, 1839.

The Queen has been this day pleased to appoint Charles Scarisbrick, of Scarisbrick, Esq. to be Sheriff of the county palatine of Lancaster for the year ensuing.

At the Court at *Buckingham-Palace*, the 4th day of
February 1839,

PRESENT,

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty in Council,

WHEREAS under and by virtue of an Act, passed in the fourth year of the reign of His late Majesty King William the Fourth, intituled "An Act for the appointment of convenient places for holding the assizes in England and Wales," Her Majesty, by and with the advice of Her Privy Council, is empowered, from time to time, to order and direct at what place or places in any county in England or Wales the assizes and sessions under the commission of gaol delivery and other commissions for the dispatch of civil and criminal business shall be holden;

Now, therefore, in pursuance of the said Act of

Parliament, and in exercise of the authority thereby vested in Her Majesty in that behalf, Her Majesty, with the advice of Her Privy Council, doth order and direct, that from henceforth the assizes and sessions under the commissions of gaol delivery and other commissions for the dispatch of civil and criminal business in and for the county of Montgomery shall be holden as follows, that is to say, at Welsh Pool, in the said county, in the Spring, and at Newtown, in the said county, in the Summer, in every year:

And the Right Honourable the Lord Chancellor is to give the necessary directions herein accordingly.

C. C. Greville.

Downing-Street, February 5, 1839.

The Queen has been pleased to appoint Patrick Matthias Murphy, Esq. to be Attorney General at the Settlement of the Cape of Good Hope.

FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of FEBRUARY 8,
1839.

Buckingham-Palace, February 5, 1839.

THIS day Her Majesty proceeded in state from Buckingham-Palace to the House of Peers, where she arrived soon after two o'clock; and was received, on alighting from her state coach, by the Lord Chancellor, the Lord President of the Council, the Lord Privy Seal, the Lord Great Chamberlain, the Earl Marshal, the Lord Steward of the Household, the Lord Viscount Melbourne, Garter King of Arms, and the Yeoman Usher of the Black Rod, and proceeded to the robing-room in the customary manner.

Her Majesty was there robed, and, having put on the imperial crown, the procession moved into the House in the usual order;—the sword of state was borne by the Lord Viscount Melbourne, and the cap of maintenance by the Earl of Shaftesbury, in the absence of the Marquess of Winchester.

Her Majesty being seated on the Throne, the Great Officers of State and others standing on the right and left, James Pulman, Esq. Yeoman Usher of the Black Rod, was sent with a message from Her Majesty to the House of Commons, commanding their attendance in the House of Peers. The Commons being come thither accordingly, Her Majesty was pleased to deliver the

the following most gracious Speech to both Houses of Parliament:

My Lords, and Gentlemen,

I REJOICE to meet you again in Parliament. I am particularly desirous of recurring to your advice and assistance at a period when many matters of great importance demand your serious and deliberate attention.

I continue to receive from Foreign Powers gratifying assurances of their desire to maintain with Me the most friendly relations.

I have concluded with the Emperor of Austria a Treaty of Commerce, which, I trust, will extend and improve the intercourse between My subjects and those of the Emperor.

I have also concluded a Treaty of the same kind with the Sultan, calculated to place the commercial relations between My dominions and the Turkish Empire upon a better and more secure footing.

I have directed copies of these Treaties to be laid before you.

I have engaged, in concert with Austria, France, Prussia, and Russia, in negotiations with a view to a final settlement of the differences between Holland and Belgium.

A definitive Treaty of Peace, founded upon anterior arrangements, which have been acceded to by both parties, has in consequence been proposed to the Dutch and Belgian Governments. I have the satisfaction to inform you that the Dutch Government have already signified to the conference its acceptance of that Treaty, and I trust that a similar announcement from the Belgian Government will put an end to that inquietude which the present unsettled state of these affairs has necessarily produced. The unanimity of the five Allied Powers affords a satisfactory security for the preservation of peace.

I lament the continuance of the civil war in Spain,

Spain, which engages My anxious and undiminished attention.

Differences which have arisen have occasioned the retirement of My Minister from the Court of Teheran. I indulge, however, the hope of learning that a satisfactory adjustment of these differences will allow of the re-establishment of My relations with Persia upon their former footing of friendship.

Events connected with the same difference have induced the Governor General of India to take measures for protecting British interests in that quarter of the world, and to enter into engagements, the fulfilment of which may render military operations necessary. For this purpose such preparations have been made as may be sufficient to resist aggression from any quarter, and to maintain the integrity of My Eastern dominions.

The reform and amendment of the Municipal Corporations of Ireland are essential to the interests of that part of My dominions.

It is also urgent that you should apply yourselves to the prosecution and completion of those measures which have been recommended by the Ecclesiastical Commissioners of England, for the purpose of increasing the efficiency of the Established Church, and of confirming its hold upon the affections and respect of My people.

The better enforcement of the law, and the more speedy and certain administration of justice, are of the first importance to the welfare of the community; and I feel assured that you will be anxious to devote yourselves to the examination of the measures which will be submitted to you for the purpose of attaining these beneficial results.

Gentlemen of the House of Commons,

I have directed the annual estimates to be prepared and laid before you.

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Adhering to the principles of economy, which it is My desire to enforce in every Department of the State, I feel it My duty to recommend that adequate provision be made for the exigencies of the public service.

I fully rely on your loyalty and patriotism to maintain the efficiency of those establishments which are essential to the strength and security of the country.

My Lords, and Gentlemen,

It is with great satisfaction that I am enabled to inform you, that throughout the whole of My West Indian possessions the period fixed by law for the final and complete emancipation of the negroes has been anticipated by Acts of the Colonial Legislatures; and that the transition from the temporary system of apprenticeship to entire freedom has taken place without any disturbance of public order and tranquillity: any measures which may be necessary, in order to give full effect to this great and beneficial change, will, I have no doubt, receive your careful attention.

I have to acquaint you, with deep concern, that the province of Lower Canada has again been disturbed by insurrection, and that hostile incursions have been made into Upper Canada by certain lawless inhabitants of the United States of North America.

These violations of the public peace have been promptly suppressed by the valour of My troops and the loyalty of My Canadian subjects.

The President of the United States has called upon the citizens of the Union to abstain from proceedings so incompatible with the friendly relations which subsist between Great Britain and the United States.

I have directed full information upon all these matters to be laid before you, and I recommend the
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present state of these provinces to your serious consideration.

I rely upon you to support My firm determination to maintain the authority of My Crown ; and I trust that your wisdom will adopt such measures as will secure to those parts of My Empire the benefit of internal tranquillity, and the full advantages of their own great natural resources.

I have observed with pain the persevering efforts which have been made in some parts of the country to excite My subjects to disobedience and resistance to the law, and to recommend dangerous and illegal practices. For the counteraction of all such designs I depend upon the efficacy of the law, which it will be My duty to enforce, upon the good sense and right disposition of My people, upon their attachment to the principles of justice, and their abhorrence of violence and disorder.

I confidently commit all these great interests to your wisdom ; and I implore Almighty God to assist and prosper your counsels.

Whitehall, February 6, 1839.

The Queen has been pleased to present the Reverend Arthur Moore, A. M. to the rectory of Walpole St. Peter, in the county of Norfolk and diocese of Norwich, void by the death of the Reverend William Chester.

FROM THE
LONDON GAZETTE of FEBRUARY 12,
 1839.

At the Court at *Buckingham-Palace*, the 4th day of
February 1839,

PRESENT,

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS by an Act, passed in the session of Parliament held in the sixth and seventh years of the reign of His late Majesty King William the Fourth, intituled "An Act for carrying into effect the reports of the Commissioners appointed to consider the state of the Established Church in England and Wales, with reference to ecclesiastical duties and revenues, so far as they relate to episcopal dioceses, revenues, and patronage," reciting, amongst other things, that His said late Majesty was pleased, on the fourth day of February, and on the sixth day of June, in the year one thousand eight hundred and thirty-five, to issue two several commissions to certain persons therein respectively named, directing them to consider the state of the several dioceses in England and Wales, with reference to the amount of their revenues, and the more equal distribution of episcopal duties, and the prevention of the necessity of attaching, by commendam, to bishoprics, benefices with cure of souls; and to consider also the state of the several cathedral and collegiate churches in England and
 Wales,

Wales, with a view to the suggestion of such measures as might render them conducive to the efficiency of the Established Church, and to devise the best mode of providing for the cure of souls, with special reference to the residence of the clergy on their respective benefices; and reciting, that the said Commissioners had, in pursuance of such directions, made four several reports to His said late Majesty, bearing date respectively the seventeenth day of March one thousand eight hundred and thirty-five, and the fourth day of March, the twentieth day of May, and the twenty-fourth day of June, one thousand eight hundred and thirty-six; and reciting, that the said Commissioners had in their said reports, amongst other things, recommended that commissioners should be appointed by Parliament for the purpose of preparing and laying before His Majesty in Council, such schemes as should appear to them to be best adapted for carrying into effect, amongst other things, the following recommendations; and that His Majesty in Council should be empowered to make Orders ratifying such schemes and having the full force of law; and that if, in determining the mode of regulating the episcopal incomes, either in the first instance or on any future revision of them, it should be deemed expedient to make the alteration required in any case by the subtraction or addition of any real estates, such real estates should be transferred accordingly; and that none of the proposed alterations affecting the revenues belonging to any see, the bishop of which was in possession on the fourth day of March one thousand eight hundred and thirty-six, should take effect until the next avoidance of the see, without the consent of such bishop:

It is enacted, amongst other things, that the Lord Archbishop of Canterbury for the time being, the Lord Archbishop of York, and the Lord Bishop of London for the time being, John Lord Bishop of Lincoln, James Henry Lord

Bishop of Gloucester, the Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain, the Lord President of the Council, the Lord High Treasurer or the First Lord of the Treasury, and the Chancellor of the Exchequer for the time being respectively, and such one of His Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State as should be for that purpose nominated by His Majesty under His royal sign manual (such Lord Chancellor, Lord President, Lord High Treasurer or First Lord of the Treasury, Chancellor of the Exchequer, and Secretary of State being respectively members of the United Church of Great Britain and Ireland), the Right Honourable Dudley Earl of Harrowby, the Right Honourable Henry Hobhouse, and the Right Honourable Sir Herbert Jenner, Knight, should, for the purposes of the said Act, be one body politic and corporate, by the name of "the Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England," and by that name should have perpetual succession and a common seal:

And it is further enacted, that the said Commissioners should, from time to time, prepare and lay before His Majesty in Council such schemes as should appear to the said Commissioners to be best adapted for carrying into effect the thereinbefore recited recommendations, and should in such schemes recommend and propose such measures as might, upon further inquiry, which the said Commissioners are thereby authorised to make, appear to them to be necessary for carrying such recommendations into full and perfect effect; provided always, that nothing therein contained should be construed to prevent the said Commissioners from proposing, in any such scheme, such modifications or variations, as to matters of detail and regulation, as should not be substantially repugnant to any or either of the said recommendations:

And it is further enacted, that when any scheme,
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prepared under the authority of the said Act, should be approved by His Majesty in Council, it should be lawful for His Majesty in Council to issue an Order or Orders ratifying the same, and specifying the time or times when such scheme, or the several parts thereof, should take effect, and to direct in every such Order that the same should be registered by the registrar of each of the dioceses the bishops whereof might or should be in any respect affected thereby :

And it is further enacted, that every such Order should, as soon as might be after the making and issuing thereof by His Majesty in Council, be inserted and published in the London Gazette.

And it is further enacted, that, so soon as any such Order in Council should be so registered and gazetted, it should in all respects, and as to all things therein contained, have and be of the same force and effect as if all and every part thereof were included in the said Act, any law, statute, canon, letters patent, grant, usage, or custom to the contrary notwithstanding :

And whereas the said Commissioners, pursuant to the authority vested in them by the said Act, have duly prepared and laid before Her Majesty in Council a scheme, bearing date the nineteenth day of December one thousand eight hundred and thirty-eight, in the words and figures following, that is to say :

To the Queen's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

We, the Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England, appointed and incorporated by an Act, passed in the session of Parliament held in the sixth and seventh years of the reign of His late Majesty King William the Fourth, intituled
 “ An Act for carrying into effect the reports
 “ of the Commissioners appointed to consider the
 “ state of the Established Church in England and
 “ Wales,

“ Wales, with reference to ecclesiastical duties and
 “ revenues, so far as they relate to episcopal
 “ dioceses, revenues, and patronage,” have, in pursuance thereof, prepared, and now humbly lay before your Majesty in Council, the following scheme for further carrying into effect part of the provisions of the said Act relating to the see of Ripon.

Whereas Elizabeth Sophia Lawrence, of Studley Royal, in the parish of Ripon, in the west riding of the county of York, spinster, being, by virtue of a lease to her granted by the Right Honourable and Most Reverend Edward Archbishop of York, on the second day of May one thousand eight hundred and thirty, possessed of the messuages, lands, and tenements described in the schedule hereunto annexed situate near the town of Ripon, in the same county, for the term of twenty-one years thence next following, at the yearly rent of four pounds; and being satisfied that the said messuages, lands, and tenements may be advantageously held by the Bishop of Ripon for the time being, hath signified to us her wish to assign the said messuages, lands, and tenements to the Right Reverend Charles Thomas now Bishop of Ripon, and his successors, on condition that the interest of the said Edward Archbishop of York, and his successors, in the said messuages, lands, and tenements be transferred to the said Charles Thomas Bishop of Ripon, and his successors, for ever :

And whereas we are satisfied that by reason of the vicinity of the said messuages, lands, and tenements to the site of the house of residence intended for the said Charles Thomas Bishop of Ripon, and his successors, and approved by an Order made by your Majesty in Council, on the eleventh day of December last, it is desirable that the same should belong to the see of Ripon, and that the same may be transferred from the said see of York to the said see of Ripon, consistently with the provisions of the
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said Act, and of the recommendations therein contained:

Now, therefore, we humbly recommend and propose, with the consent of the said Edward Archbishop of York (in testimony whereof he hath signed and sealed this scheme), that as soon as the said Elizabeth Sophia Lawrence shall have assigned the said messuages, lands, and tenements described in the said schedule (which we recommend and propose shall be considered and taken as part of this scheme), to the said Charles Thomas Bishop of Ripon, and his successors, for the residue of her interest therein, the said messuages, lands, and tenements shall, according to the provisions of the said Act, be transferred from the said Edward Archbishop of York, and his successors in the said see of York, to the said Charles Thomas Bishop of Ripon, and his successors in the said see of Ripon, to be by him and them held and enjoyed in right of the said see of Ripon for ever :

And we further recommend and propose, that nothing herein contained shall prevent us from recommending and proposing other measures relating to the said sees of York and Ripon, or either of them, in conformity with the provisions of the said Act.

All which we humbly recommend and propose to your Majesty in Council.

In witness whereof we have hereunto set our common seal, the nineteenth day of December one thousand eight hundred and thirty-eight.

SCHEDULE.

All that messuage or tenement commonly called Day House, situate and being on the north side of Northley Wood in Northley Fields, and five closes, parcel of Northleys, situate and being near Northleys Wood, of the south part of the same wood, and the herbage of the wood called Breary Spring, with one little close on the north part of the same spring commonly called Wright Close ; and also the herbage of the wood called Low Northley Wood ; and also one other close called Stainly Ing, together with one other close or paddock called Calf Close, with all and singular the appurtenances situate, lying, and being near the town of Ripon, in the county of York, heretofore in the tenure or occupation of Cuthbert Chambers and Michael Caut, or one of them ; all of which said messuage or tenement, closes or parcels of land, hereditaments, and premises, are now in the occupation of Thomas Potter, as tenant, and are better called, known, or distinguished by the several names, and contain, by a recent admeasurement thereof, the respective quantities, hereinafter-mentioned and set forth, be the same, or any of them respectively, more or less : that is to say, Sour End, seven acres and twenty-seven perches ; Far Meadow Field, four acres, two roods, and twelve perches ; Near Meadow Field, six acres, three roods, and thirty-one perches ; Old House Bank, seven acres, one rood, and twenty-eight perches ; Crook Tree Flat, seven acres and twenty-six perches ; Crabtree Field, seven acres, two roods, and nine perches ; Sheep Field, seven acres, two roods, and six perches ; Far Pasture, five acres and thirty-four perches ; Eleven Acres, eleven acres and thirty-four perches ; Far Pasture, five acres, three roods, and seven perches ; Low Pasture Bottom, six acres, one rood, and five perches ; Saint Helen's Well, thirteen acres,

two roods, and thirteen perches; Horse Pasture, nine acres, two roods, and twenty perches; Horse Pasture, seven acres, one rood, and thirteen perches; Beck Hill, six acres and two roods; Horse Pasture, six acres and thirty-eight perches; Horse Pasture, ten acres, three roods, and fifteen perches; Eight Days Mowing, eight acres and twenty-two perches; Wood in Eight Days Mowing, nineteen perches; Ten Lands, eight acres, three roods, and twenty-two perches; Cog Hill, seven acres, two roods, and thirty-seven perches; Thistle Field, eight acres, one rood, and ten perches; Four Acres, four acres, two roods, and five perches; Seven Acres, seven acres, two roods, and one perch; Marl Field, fifteen acres and thirty perches; Barn and Fold Yard, one rood and ten perches; Homestead Orchard, two roods and twenty-three perches; Garth, six acres, one rood, and six perches; Pasture, eight acres, one rood, and nineteen perches; together with all and singular the hereditaments, rights, members, privileges, and appurtenances whatsoever to the said lands, tenements, and premises belonging or in anywise appertaining.

And whereas the said scheme has been approved by Her Majesty in Council; now, therefore, Her Majesty, by and with the advice of Her said Council, is pleased hereby to ratify the said scheme, and to order and direct that the same, and every part thereof, shall take effect immediately from and after the time when this Order shall have been registered as hereinafter directed, and shall have been duly published in the London Gazette pursuant to the said Act; and Her Majesty, by and with the like advice, is pleased thereby to direct, that this Order be forthwith registered by the several registrars of the dioceses of York and Ripon respectively.

C. C. Greville.

Buckingham-Palace, February 9, 1839.

This day had audience of Her Majesty, the Count Mandelslöh, Envoy Extraordinary and Minister Plenipotentiary from the King of Wurtemberg, to deliver a letter from his Sovereign:

To which he was introduced by Lord Viscount Palmerston, Her Majesty's Principal Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, and conducted by Sir Robert Chester, Knt. Master of the Ceremonies.

St. James's-Palace.

The Queen has been pleased, on the nomination of Lord Foley, to appoint Alfred Perkins, Esq. one of Her Majesty's Honourable Corps of Gentlemen at Arms, vice Blackmore, retired.

Downing-Street, February 2, 1839.

The Queen has been pleased to appoint Colonel Sir Henry George Macleod to be Lieutenant-Governor of the Island of Trinidad.

The Tithe Commissioners for England and Wales have appointed James Jerwood, of Teignmouth, in the county of Devon, Esq. B. A. and Barrister at Law, to be an Assistant Tithe Commissioner for special purposes; and he has taken the oath required under the provisions of an Act, passed in the 6th and 7th Wm. 4, c. 71, before W. Langmead and G. S. Curtis, Esqrs. Magistrates for the county of Devon.

FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of FEBRUARY 15,
1839.

At the Court at *Buckingham-Palace*, the 13th day of
February 1839,

PRESENT,

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

HER Majesty having been pleased to appoint the Honourable Thomas Dundas (commonly called Lord Dundas), Lord Lieutenant and Custos Rotulorum of the north riding of the county of York, his Lordship this day took the oaths appointed to be taken thereupon, instead of the oaths of supremacy and allegiance.

C. C. Greville.

At the Court at *Buckingham-Palace*, the 13th day of
February 1839,

PRESENT,

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS by an Act, passed in the seventh year of the reign of His late Majesty King William the Fourth, intituled "An Act for rendering more easy the taking the poll at county elections," it is enacted, that it shall

be lawful for His Majesty, by and with the advice of His Privy Council, from time to time, on petition from the justices of any county, riding, parts, or division in England or Wales, in quarter sessions assembled, representing, that the number of polling places for such county, riding, parts, or division is insufficient, and praying, that the place or places mentioned in the said petition may be a polling place or polling places for the county, riding, parts or division of the county within which such place or places is or are situate, to declare that any place or places mentioned in the said petition shall be a polling place or polling places for that county, riding, parts, or division; and that the justices of the peace for such county, riding, parts, or division, in quarter sessions or some special sessions assembled, as mentioned in the Act, passed in the third year of the reign of His said late Majesty, intituled “ An
 “ Act to settle and determine the division of counties,
 “ and the limits of cities and boroughs, in England
 “ and Wales, in so far as respects the election of
 “ Members to serve in Parliament,” shall, conformably to the said last-mentioned Act, divide such county, riding, parts, or division into convenient polling districts, and assign one of such districts to each polling place :

And whereas the justices of the peace for the county palatine of Lancaster, assembled in quarter sessions, at Preston, in the said county, on the second day of January one thousand eight hundred and thirty-nine, by their petition have represented to Her Majesty, that the number of polling places for the northern division of the said county is insufficient, and have prayed that the towns of Garstang, Kirkham, Chorley, Blackburn, and Whalley, may be polling places for the said northern division:

Now, therefore, Her Majesty, having taken the said petition into consideration, is pleased to order,
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with the advice of Her Privy Council, and it is hereby ordered accordingly, that the said towns of Garstang, Kirkham, Chorley, Blackburn, and Whalley, shall be additional polling places for the northern division of the said county; and that the justices of the peace for the said county, in quarter sessions or some special sessions assembled, as mentioned in the said Act of the third year of the reign of His said late Majesty, shall, conformably to the said last-mentioned Act, divide the said northern division of the said county into convenient polling districts, and assign one of such districts to each polling place.

C. C. Greville.

At the Court at *Buckingham-Palace*, the 13th day of
February 1839.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS by an Act, passed in the seventh year of the reign of His late Majesty King William the Fourth, intituled "An Act for rendering more easy the taking the poll at county elections," it is enacted, that it shall be lawful for His Majesty, by and with the advice of His Privy Council, from time to time, on petition from the justices of any county, riding, parts, or division in England or Wales, in quarter sessions assembled, representing, that the number of polling places for such county, riding, parts, or division is insufficient, and praying, that the place or places mentioned in the said petition may be a polling place or polling places for the county, riding, parts or division of the county within which such place or places is or are situate, to declare that any
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place or places mentioned in the said petition shall be a polling place or polling places for that county, riding, parts, or division ; and that the justices of the peace for such county, riding, parts, or division, in quarter sessions or some special sessions assembled, as mentioned in the Act, passed in the third year of the reign of His said late Majesty, intituled “ An
 “ Act to settle and determine the division of counties,
 “ and the limits of cities and boroughs, in England
 “ and Wales, in so far as respects the election of
 “ Members to serve in Parliament,” shall, conformably to the said last-mentioned Act, divide such county, riding, parts, or division into convenient polling districts, and assign one of such districts to each polling place :

And whereas the justices of the peace for the county of Anglesey, assembled in quarter sessions, at Beaumaris, in the said county, on the twenty-seventh day of June one thousand eight hundred and thirty-seven, by their petition have represented to Her Majesty, that the number of polling places for the said county is insufficient, and have prayed that Llanerchymedd should be an additional polling place for the said county :

Now, therefore, Her Majesty, having taken the said petition into consideration, is pleased to order, with the advice of Her Privy Council, that Llanerchymedd shall be an additional polling place for the said county ; and that the justices of the peace for the said county, in quarter sessions or some special sessions assembled, as mentioned in the said Act of the third year of the reign of his said late Majesty, shall, conformably to the said last-mentioned Act, divide the said county into convenient polling districts, and assign one of such districts to each polling place.

C. C. Greville.

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Whitehall, February 15, 1839.

An Address of congratulation, from the Corporation of the borough of Kidderminster, on the occasion of Her Majesty's Coronation, having been transmitted by Captain Winnington, M.P. to the Right Honourable Lord John Russell, one of Her Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State, was by him presented to Her Majesty, who was pleased to receive the same very graciously.

St. James's-Palace, February 10, 1839.

The Queen has been pleased to appoint the Honourable Edward Butler, Lieutenant of Her Majesty's Honourable Corps of Gentlemen at Arms, vice Sir Samuel Thomas Spry, Knt. retired.

Crown-Office, February 12, 1839.

MEMBER returned to serve in this present
PARLIAMENT.

Borough of the Tower Hamlets.

The Right Honourable Stephen Lushington, of Great George-street, Westminster, in the county of Middlesex, Doctor of Laws.

Crown-Office, February 15, 1839.

MEMBER returned to serve in this present
PARLIAMENT.

Town and Port of Sandwich.

Sir Rufane Shawe Donkin, K. C. B. in the room of Sir James Rivett Carnac, Bart. who has accepted the office of Governor of Bombay.

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Whitehall, February 14, 1839.

The Queen has been pleased to ordain and declare that Charles-Pelham Villiers, Esq. one of the representatives in Parliament for the borough of Wolverhampton; Edward-Ernest Villiers, Esq.; Henry Montague Villiers, Clerk, Vicar of Kenilworth, in the county of Warwick; Augustus-Algernon Villiers, Esq. Lieutenant in the Royal Navy, and Knight of the Royal Order of Isabella the Catholic, of Spain; and Maria Theresa, the wife of Thomas Henry Lister, Esq. the younger brothers and sister of the Right Honourable George William Frederick Earl of Clarendon, Knight Grand Cross of the Most Honourable Order of the Bath, and Her Majesty's Envoy Extraordinary and Minister Plenipotentiary to Her Catholic Majesty, may henceforth have, hold, and enjoy the same titles, place, pre-eminence, and precedence which would have been due to them respectively if their late father, George Villiers, Esq. (commonly called the Honourable George Villiers), had survived his elder brother, the Right Honourable John-Charles late Earl of Clarendon, and had thereby succeeded to the said title and dignity of Earl of Clarendon:

And Her Majesty has also been pleased to command, that the said royal order and declaration be registered in Her College of Arms.

FROM THE
LONDON GAZETTE of FEBRUARY 19,
1839.

Whitehall, February 15, 1839.

THE Queen has been pleased to direct letters patent to be passed under the Great Seal of the United Kingdom, granting the office and place of Advocate General or Judge Martial of Her Majesty's Forces to Sir George Grey, Bart.

Downing-Street, February 18, 1839.

The Queen has been pleased to appoint Edward Hay Drummond Hay, Esq. to be President and Senior Member of Her Majesty's Council in the Virgin Islands.

Downing-Street, February 18, 1839.

The Queen has been pleased to appoint James Walker, Esq. to be Treasurer of the Island of Trinidad.

FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of FEBRUARY 22,
1839.

At the Court at *St. James's*, the 20th day of *February*
1838,

PRESENT,

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

HER Majesty having been pleased to appoint the Most Noble Constantine Henry Marquess of Normanby to be one of Her Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State, his Lordship was this day, by Her Majesty's command, sworn one of Her Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State accordingly.

Her Majesty having been pleased to appoint the Right Honourable Robert John Lord Carrington to be Lord Lieutenant and Custos Rotulorum of the county of Buckingham, his Lordship this day took the Oaths appointed to be taken thereupon, instead of the Oaths of Allegiance and Supremacy.

At the Court at *St. James's*, the 20th day of *February*
1839,

PRESENT,

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

HER Majesty in Council was this day pleased to appoint James Phillipps, of Bryngwyn, Esq. to be Sheriff of the county of Hereford, in the room of John Higford, of Abbey Dore, Esq.

Crown-Office, February 19, 1839.

MEMBER returned to serve in this present
PARLIAMENT.

County of Buckingham.

Caledon George Du Pré, Esq. in the room of the Marquess of Chandos, now Duke of Buckingham and Chandos.

Crown-Office, February 21, 1839.

Days and Places appointed for holding the Lent Assizes, 1839, viz.

MIDLAND CIRCUIT.

The Right Honourable *Thomas Lord Denman*, Lord Chief Justice.

The Right Honourable Sir *John Bernard Bosanquet*.

Northamptonshire, Monday, March 4, at *Northampton*.

Rutlandshire, Friday, March 8, at *Oakham*.

Lincolnshire, Saturday, March 9, at the Castle of Lincoln.

City of Lincoln, the same day, at the City of Lincoln.

Nottinghamshire, Friday, March 15, at Nottingham.

Town of Nottingham, the same day, at the Town of Nottingham.

Derbyshire, Tuesday, March 19, at Derby.

Leicestershire, Friday, March 22, at the Castle of Leicester.

Borough of Leicester, the same day, at the Borough of Leicester.

City of Coventry, Wednesday, March 27, at the City of Coventry.

Warwickshire, the same day, at Warwick.

NORFOLK CIRCUIT.

The Right Honourable Sir *Nicolas Conyngham Tindal*, Knt. Lord Chief Justice.

The Right Honourable Sir *John Vaughan*.

Buckinghamshire, Monday, March 11, at Aylesbury.

Bedfordshire, Saturday, March 16, at Bedford.

Huntingdonshire, Wednesday, March 20, at Huntingdon.

Cambridgeshire, Saturday, March 23, at Cambridge.

Suffolk, Saturday, March 30, at Bury St. Edmund's.

Norfolk, Saturday, April 6, at the Castle of Norwich.

City of Norwich, the same day, at the Guildhall of the said City of Norwich.

HOME CIRCUIT.

The Right Honourable *James Lord Abinger*, Lord
Chief Baron.

Mr. Justice *Littledale*.

Hertfordshire, Wednesday, February 27, at Hertford.

Essex, Monday, March 4, at Chelmsford.

Kent, Monday, March 11, at Maidstone.

Sussex, Monday, March 18, at Lewes.

Surrey, Monday, March 25, at Kingston-upon-Thames.

WESTERN CIRCUIT.

Mr. Baron *Gurney*.

Mr. Baron *Maule*.

Southampton, Thursday, February 28, at the Castle of Winchester.

Wiltshire, Wednesday, March 6, at New Sarum.

Dorsetshire, Tuesday, March 12, at Dorchester.

Devonshire, Monday, March 18, at the Castle of Exeter.

City of Exeter, the same day, at the Guildhall of the said City of Exeter.

Cornwall, Tuesday, March 26, at Bodmin.

Somersetshire, Tuesday, April 2, at the Castle of Taunton.

NORTHERN CIRCUIT.

The Right Honourable Sir *James Parke*.

Mr. Baron *Alderson*.

Westmorland, Saturday, February 23, at Appleby.

Cumberland, Tuesday, February 26, at Carlisle.

Town of Newcastle-upon-Tyne, Friday, March 1,
at the Guildhall of Newcastle-upon-Tyne.

Northumberland, the same day, at the Moot-hall,
Newcastle-upon-Tyne.

Durham, Wednesday, March 6, at Durham.

Yorkshire, Saturday, March 9, at the Castle of
York.

City of York, the same day, at the Guildhall of the
said City of York.

North Lancashire, Saturday, March 22, at Lan-
caster.

South Lancashire, Wednesday, March 27, at Liver-
pool.

OXFORD CIRCUIT.

Mr. Justice *Patteson*.

The Right Honourable *Thomas Erskine*.

Berkshire, Saturday, February 23, at Reading.

Oxfordshire, Thursday, February 28, at Oxford.

Worcestershire, Wednesday, March 6, at Worcester.

City of Worcester, the same day, at the City of
Worcester.

Staffordshire, Monday, March 11, at Stafford.

Shropshire, Monday, March 18, at Shrewsbury.

Herefordshire, Saturday, March 23, at Hereford.

Monmouthshire, Wednesday, March 27, at Mon-
mouth.

Gloucestershire, Saturday, March 30, at Gloucester.

City of Gloucester, the same day, at the City of
Gloucester.

CIRCUIT of the PRINCIPALITY of WALES
and COUNTY PALATINE of CHESTER.

Mr. Justice *Williams*.

Mr. Justice *Coleridge*.

Glamorganshire, Saturday, March 2, at Swansea.

Pembrokeshire, Saturday, March 9, at Haverfordwest.

Town of Haverfordwest, the same day, at the Town of Haverfordwest.

Cardiganshire, Wednesday, March 13, at Cardigan.

Carmarthenshire, Saturday, March 16, at Carmarthen.

Borough of Carmarthen, the same day, at the Borough of Carmarthen.

Brecknockshire, Saturday, March 23, at Brecon.

Radnorshire, Saturday, March 30, at Presteign.

Montgomeryshire, Saturday, March 9, at Welch Pool.

Merionethshire, Thursday, March 14, at Bala.

Carnarvonshire, Tuesday, March 19, at Carnarvon.

Anglesey, Saturday, March 23, at Beaumaris.

Denbighshire, Wednesday, March 27, at Ruthin.

F Flintshire, Saturday, March 30, at Mold.

Cheshire, Wednesday, April 3, at the Castle of Chester.

FROM THE
LONDON GAZETTE of FEBRUARY 26,
1839.

Whitehall, February 26, 1839.

The Queen has been pleased to direct letters patent to be passed under the Great Seal, constituting and appointing the Right Honourable Gilbert Earl of Minto, G. C. B., Vice Admiral Sir Charles Adam, K. C. B., Rear Admiral Sir William Parker, K. C. B., Captain Sir Edward Thomas Troubridge, Bart., Captain Sir Samuel John Brooke Peehell, Bart., and Archibald Primrose, Esq. (commonly called Lord Dalmeny), Her Majesty's Commissioners for executing the office of High Admiral of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, and the dominions, islands, and territories thereunto belonging.

Whitehall, February 26, 1839.

The Queen has been pleased to direct letters patent to be passed under the Great Seal, granting the dignity of a Baronet of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland unto the following Gentlemen, and the heirs male of their bodies lawfully begotten, viz.

Philip Crampton, of Merrion-square, in the city of Dublin, M. D. Surgeon-General to the Forces, and Surgeon in Ordinary to Her Majesty in Ireland; and

Henry Marsh, of the city of Dublin, M. D. Physician in Ordinary to Her Majesty in Ireland.

Crown-Office, February 22, 1839.

MEMBERS returned to serve in this present
PARLIAMENT.

Borough of Clonmell.

David Richard Pigot, Esq. Her Majesty's Solicitor-General for Ireland, in the room of Nicholas Ball, Esq. who has accepted the office of Judge of the Court of Common Pleas in Ireland.

County of Cavan.

The Honourable Somerset Richard Maxwell, of Arley-cottage, in the said county of Cavan, in the room of Henry Maxwell, Esq. now Lord Farnham.

Borough of Devonport.

Sir George Grey, of Eaton-place, in the county of Middlesex, Bart.

FROM THE
LONDON GAZETTE of MARCH 1,
 1839.

At the Court at *Buckingham-Palace*, the 1st day of
March 1839,

PRESENT,

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

THIS day the Right Honourable Hugh Fortescue (commonly called Viscount Ebrington), and the Right Honourable Sir George Grey, Bart., were, by command of Her Majesty, sworn of Her Majesty's Most Honourable Privy Council, and took their respective places at the Board accordingly.

Her Majesty in Council was this day pleased to declare, the Right Honourable Hugh Fortescue (commonly called Viscount Ebrington), Lieutenant-General and General Governor of that part of the United Kingdom called Ireland.

Her Majesty in Council was this day pleased to appoint Deeble Peter Hoblyn to be Sheriff of the county of Cornwall, in the room of Sir Richard Rawlinson Vyvyan, of Trelowarren, Bart.

Whitehall, February 28, 1839.

The Queen has been pleased to order a writ to be issued under the Great Seal of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, for summoning Hugh Fortescue, Chevalier (commonly called Viscount Ebrington), to the House of Peers, by the stile and title of Baron Fortescue, of Castle-hill, in the county of Devon.

Crown-Office, February 28, 1839.

MEMBER returned to serve in this present
PARLIAMENT.

Borough of Southwark.

Daniel Whittle Harvey, Esq.

Whitehall, March 1, 1839.

The Queen has been pleased to grant unto Lieutenant Robert Cannan, of the 40th Regiment of Native Infantry in the service of the East India Company, on the Madras Establishment, Knight of the first class of the National and Military Order of St. Ferdinand, and late a Colonel in the British Auxiliary Legion, Her royal licence and permission, that he may accept and wear the cross, of the second class, of the aforesaid National and Military Order of St. Ferdinand, which the Queen Regent of Spain hath been pleased to confer upon that Officer, in testimony of Her Catholic Majesty's royal approbation of his service at the assault and capture of Irun, on the 16th and 17th of May 1837; and that he may enjoy all the rights and privileges thereunto annexed;

provided, nevertheless, that Her Majesty's said royal licence and permission doth not authorise, and shall not be deemed or construed to authorise, the assumption of any style, appellation, rank, precedence, or privilege appertaining unto a Knight Bachelor of these realms :

And also to command, that the said concession and especial mark of Her royal favour be registered, together with the relative documents, in Her Majesty's College of Arms.

By the Commissioners for executing the office of Lord High Admiral of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, &c.

Rules, orders, and regulations, for the preservation of Her Majesty's moorings, and for the mooring, anchoring, and placing of all private ships of war, transports, and all other private and merchant ships and vessels, lighters, barges, boats, and other craft whatsoever in Plymouth Sound, and in the harbour of Catwater, at Plymouth, in the county of Devon, and near the docks, dock yard, arsenals, wharfs, and moorings belonging to Her Majesty therein, for the purpose of keeping the same free and open, and for ensuring a safe passage unto, into, through, and from the same respectively, made and established pursuant to an Act of Parliament, passed in the 54th year of the reign of His late Majesty King George the Third, chapter 159, intituled "An Act for the better regulation of the several ports, harbours, roadsteads, sounds, channels, bays, and navigable rivers in the United Kingdom, and of His Majesty's docks, dock yards, arsenals, wharfs, moorings, and stores therein, and for repealing several Acts passed for that purpose."

As to the anchoring in Plymouth Sound :

Article 1st. All Her Majesty's ships and vessels of war are exclusively to occupy the outer anchorage in Plymouth Sound.

2d. All merchant and other private ships and vessels of every description, are hereby ordered to occupy the inner anchorage in the Sound, within a space bounded by the following marks and lines, viz. :

To the northward of a line supposed to be drawn from Ram Cliff Point, towards the west.

To the southward of another line supposed to be drawn from Mount Edgcumbe House, through the Canteen on Drakes Island, to the eastern shore of Plymouth Sound.

To the eastward of another line supposed to be drawn from the east end of Windsor-terrace, in the town of Plymouth, to the Obelisk on the Hoe, and continued through the white-washed seamark on the rocks, to the before-mentioned line supposed to be drawn from the Ram Cliff Point towards the west.

The object of this arrangement is, that a sufficient navigable channel may be kept open over the hard and foul ground on the west side of this anchorage.

As to the anchoring in the harbour of Catwater :

3d. All fore and aft rigged vessels taking shelter in Catwater, and drawing less than eleven feet of water, are either to anchor on the flat in Ovelly Bay, or above Turnchapel Rock ; and they are also required to place buoys on their anchors, and to moor with a kedge.

4th. Ships and vessels drawing eleven feet of water and upwards, and less than sixteen feet, are to

to moor upon the flat between Turnchapel Rock and Mount Batten. Large ships drawing sixteen feet of water and upwards, are to moor in tiers below and above Turnchapel Rock, with their stern cables made fast to the shore.

5th. An open passage, of not less than fifty fathoms in width on the north side of the harbour, is to be kept clear for the navigation of ships and vessels from the entrance of Catwater, up towards the Bear's Head and Turnchapel Rock, and as far as Her Majesty's breakwater establishment at Oreston.

6th. Steam vessels frequenting the port of Plymouth, and anchoring in Deadman's Bay, are to leave a clear passage, of fifty fathoms at the least, open between them and the sailing vessels occupying the south side of the harbour.

Given under our hands the 26th February 1839.

W. PARKER.

T. TROUBRIDGE.

To all whom it may concern.

By command of their Lordships,
John Barrow.

FROM THE
LONDON GAZETTE of MARCH 5,
1839.

Foreign-Office, March 5, 1839.

THE Queen has been graciously pleased to appoint Thomas Colley Grattan, Esq. to be Her Majesty's Consul for the State of Massachusetts.

The Queen has also been graciously pleased to appoint John Wingfield Larkins, Esq. to be Her Majesty's Consul at Alexandria.

The Queen has also been graciously pleased to appoint Thomas Carew Hunt, Esq. (late Her Majesty's Consul at Archangel) to be Her Majesty's Consul in the Azores or Western Islands.

Crown-Office, March 5, 1839.

MEMBER returned to serve in this present
PARLIAMENT.

Borough of Carlow.

Francis Bruen, of Coolbawn, in the county of Wexford, Esq. in the room of William Henry Maule, Esq. who has accepted the office of one of the Barons of Her Majesty's Court of Exchequer.

FROM THE
LONDON GAZETTE of MARCH 8,
1839.

St. James's-Palace.

THE Queen has been pleased to confer the honour of Knighthood upon Captain George Back, Royal Navy.

St. James's-Palace, March 6, 1839.

The Queen was this day pleased to confer the honour of Knighthood upon Henry Roper, Esq. one of the Judges of the Supreme Court of Judicature at Bombay.

Foreign-Office, March 8, 1839.

The Queen has been graciously pleased to appoint Captain Sir John Ross, R. N. to be Her Majesty's Consul at Stockholm.

FROM THE
LONDON GAZETTE of MARCH 12,
 1839.

Whitehall, March 11, 1839.

THE Queen has been pleased to grant unto Charles William Thompson, an Ensign in the 81st Regiment of Foot, and late a Captain in the Spanish service, Her royal licence and permission, that he may accept and wear the cross, of the first class, of the National and Military Order of St. Ferdinand, which the Queen Regent of Spain hath been pleased to confer upon him, in testimony of Her Catholic Majesty's royal approbation of his services in the action before San Sebastian, on the 5th of May 1836; and that he may enjoy all the rights and privileges thereunto annexed; provided, nevertheless, that Her Majesty's said licence and permission doth not authorise the assumption of any style, appellation, rank, precedence, or privilege appertaining unto a Knight Bachelor of these realms:

And also to command, that the said concession and especial mark of Her royal favour be registered, together with the relative documents, in Her Majesty's College of Arms.

Crown-Office, March 12, 1839.

MEMBERS returned to serve in this present
PARLIAMENT.

County of Leitrim.

The Honourable William Sydney Clements, commonly called Lord Viscount Clements, of Lough Rynne, in the county of Leitrim, in the room of Lord Viscount Clements, deceased.

Borough of Wigan.

William Ewart, of Rose-hill, Hampton, in the county of Middlesex, Esq. in the room of Richard Potter, Esq. who has accepted the Chiltern Hundreds.

FROM THE
LONDON GAZETTE of MARCH 19,
 1839.

Westminster, March 15, 1839.

THIS day, the Lords being met, a message was sent to the Honourable House of Commons by the Gentleman Usher of the Black Rod, acquainting them, that *The Lords, authorised by virtue of a Commission under the Great Seal, signed by Her Majesty, for declaring Her Royal Assent to two Acts agreed upon by both Houses, do desire the immediate attendance of the Honourable House in the House of Peers to hear the Commission read*; and the Commons being come thither, the said Commission, empowering the Lord Archbishop of Canterbury, the Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain, and several other Lords therein named, to declare and notify the Royal Assent to the said Acts, was read accordingly, and the Royal Assent given to

An Act to apply the sum of two millions to the service of the year one thousand eight hundred and thirty-nine.

An Act to amend an Act, of the first and second year of Her present Majesty, for the more effectual relief of the destitute poor in Ireland.

Whitehall, March 18, 1839.

The Queen has been pleased to direct letters patent to be passed under the Great Seal, appointing Samuel Duekworth, Esq. to be one of the Masters in Ordinary of the High Court of Chancery, in the room of Francis Cross, Esq.

Downing-Street, March 18, 1839.

MEMORANDUM.

The appointment of Patrick Mathias Murphy, Esq. to be Attorney-General at the Cape of Good Hope, which appeared in the Gazette of the 5th of February last, has not taken place.

Downing-Street, March 19, 1839.

The Queen has been pleased to appoint William Porter, Esq. to be Attorney-General at the Cape of Good Hope.

Crown-Office, March 19, 1839.

MEMBER returned to serve in this present
PARLIAMENT.

Borough of Richmond.

The Honourable Sir Robert Lawrence Dundas, K. C. B., in the room of Thomas Dundas, Esq. (commonly called Lord Dundas) now Earl of Zetland.

FROM THE
LONDON GAZETTE of MARCH 22,
 1839.

Lord Chamberlain's-Office, March 22, 1839.

NOTICE is hereby given, that Her Majesty will hold Drawing-Rooms, at St. James's-Palace, on the following days, at two o'clock:

Thursday, April 11th.

Thursday, April 25th.

Thursday, May 2d.

Thursday, May 23d, { to celebrate Her Ma-
 jesty's Birth-day.

Thursday, June 20th.

N.B. The Knights of the several Orders are to appear in their Collars, at Her Majesty's Drawing-Room on Thursday the 25th of April next, it being a Collar-day.

REGULATIONS TO BE OBSERVED AT THE QUEEN'S
 DRAWING-ROOMS.

The Ladies, who purpose attending Her Majesty's Drawing-Rooms, are requested to bring with them two cards, with their names legibly written thereon, one to be left with the Queen's Page, in attendance in the Presence-Chamber, and the other to be delivered to the Lord in Waiting, who will announce the
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the name to Her Majesty. And those Ladies who are to be presented, are hereby informed, that it is absolutely necessary that their names, together with the names of the Ladies who are to present them, should be sent in to the Lord Chamberlain's Office, two clear days before the Drawing-Room, in order that they may be submitted for the Queen's approbation ; it being Her Majesty's command, that no presentation shall take place, unless the name of the Lady presenting, together with that of the Lady to be presented, shall appear on the card to be delivered, as before directed, corresponding with the names sent in to the Lord Chamberlain's Office.

Lord Chamberlain's-Office, March 22, 1839.

NOTICE is hereby given, that Her Majesty will hold Levees, at St. James's-Palace, on the following days, at two o'clock :

Wednesday, April 17th.

Wednesday, April 24th.

Wednesday, May 8th.

Buckingham-Palace, March 19, 1839.

This day His Royal Highness the Duke of Lucca, attended by the Count de Pollon, His Royal Highness's Minister at this Court, had audience of Her Majesty to take leave:

To which he was introduced by Lord Viscount Palmerston, Her Majesty's Principal Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, and conducted by Sir Robert Chester, Knt. Master of the Ceremonies.

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Buckingham-Palace, March 21, 1839.

THIS day the Right Honourable the Lord Mayor, the Aldermen, Recorder, Sheriffs, Common Council; and Officers, of the City of London waited upon Her Majesty with the following Address and Petition, which was read by the Honourable Charles Ewan Law, the Recorder, and which Her Majesty was graciously pleased to receive on the Throne :

To the QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty.

The humble Address and Petition of the Lord Mayor, Aldermen, and Commons of the City of London, in Common Council assembled.

Most Gracious Sovereign,

WE, your Majesty's most loyal and dutiful subjects, the Lord Mayor, Aldermen, and Commons of the City of London, in Common Council assembled, humbly approach your Majesty, with feelings of unshaken confidence, to solicit your Majesty's aid and protection against a measure, now pending in Parliament, in violation of our most sacred rights and privileges, being assured from your Majesty's most gracious Declaration, in the Guildhall of your ancient City of London, of your Majesty's regard for the great commercial community, the Metropolis of your Empire

Prior to the Norman conquest the Citizens of London possessed and exercised the important right and privilege of electing their own Magistrates, and of providing, by rules and regulations made by their own municipal authorities, for the protection of their property, and for the preservation of the peace within the City, by the appointment of proper Officers for keeping Watch and Ward within the same.

King William the First, by His Charter, granted
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and secured to the Citizens of London, the integrity of their rights, customs, and franchises as fully and freely as they were enjoyed in the days of King Edward the Confessor.

Under the said Charter the Citizens of London continued to exercise these rights and privileges, and the same have been confirmed by repeated Charters, of your Majesty's Royal Predecessors.

The ancient rights and privileges of London were arbitrarily invaded by a colourable judgment in a *Quo Warranto*, obtained by King Charles the Second, a perseverance in these and such like illegal and unconstitutional proceedings in the reign of His successor King James the Second tended to shake the stability of the Throne, and operated, amongst other causes, by the glorious revolution, to transfer to your Majesty's Ancestors the dominion of these realms. To indemnify the City of London for the past, and to provide a permanent security for the future, to the rights, franchises, and liberties of the Citizens, an Act of Parliament was passed, in the second year of the reign of King William and Queen Mary, intituled "An Act for reversing the judgment in a *Quo Warranto* against the City of London, and for restoring the City of London to its ancient rights and privileges."

By the Bill introduced into the House of Commons by your Majesty's Responsible Advisers, intituled "A Bill for further improving the Police in and near the metropolis," it is proposed to enact, amongst other things, that the City of London, and the liberties thereof, and all precincts and places within the outer boundary of such liberties, shall be part of the Metropolitan Police district; and that the Justices appointed, and to be appointed, under the provisions of the Act of the tenth year of the reign of King George the Fourth, shall be Justices of the Peace of the said city, liberties, precincts, and places, and empowered to act therein as fully as if the said city,

city, liberties, precincts, and places had been named in the said Act.

The Bill so introduced is an encroachment upon and a violation of the ancient chartered rights, liberties, and privileges of London, without any reasonable cause of complaint or advantage to the public.

It is to us a matter of deep regret and disappointment to find that your Majesty's Ministers (professing liberal principles of popular representation and self government as opposed to arbitrary power), should be authors of a measure calculated to wrest from the hands of the Citizens of London, and place under the control of a Minister of the Crown, their ancient, unabused and long respected right of protecting their own property, liberties, and lives.

Should such measure pass into a law your Majesty's Citizens of London, will be deprived of a privilege which Parliament in its wisdom has recently conferred without distinction upon all the Municipal Corporations in the kingdom.

We, your Majesty's most dutiful subjects, have established a Police in the City of London, fully adequate to its wants, and equal, if not superior, to the Metropolitan Police, and we therefore feel that there exists no occasion nor pretence for the measure contemplated by the Bill, we are most anxious for a thorough and complete co-operation between the two bodies, and that such an union may be effected as shall carry every wise and salutary principle fully into operation, without interfering with or destroying the immemorial rights and privileges of the Citizens of London.

We cannot but contemplate the proposed measure not only as destructive to the rights of the Citizens of London, but as dangerous to the Constitution, involving as it does a principle of centralization inconsistent with, and in opposition to, the franchises and liberties of the whole people.

We, therefore, humbly and earnestly implore
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your Majesty's most gracious interposition on behalf of your Citizens of London, and that your Majesty will not countenance your Majesty's Responsible Advisers in a measure calculated to subvert the rights and privileges of our ancient City.

Signed by order of Court,

Henry Woodthorpe.

To which Address and Petition Her Majesty was pleased to return the following most gracious Answer:

“The peace and security of the inhabitants of My Capital require My care and the attention of My Government.

“With these objects in view, I have directed measures to be submitted to Parliament, which will, I have no doubt, receive their deliberate consideration.

“I fully rely on their zeal for the welfare of My people, and their regard for the rights and privileges of all My subjects.”

They were all received very graciously, and had the honour of kissing Her Majesty's hand.

Foreign-Office, March 22, 1839.

The Queen has been graciously pleased to appoint Henry Cowper, Esq. jun. to be Her Majesty's Consul at Para.

Crown-Office, March 22, 1839.

MEMBER returned to serve in this present
PARLIAMENT.

County of Devon.

Northern Division.

Lewis William Buck, of Moreton, in the said county of Devon, Esq. in the room of Hugh Fortescue, Esq. commonly called Viscount Ebrington, now Baron Fortescue.

Whitehall, March 20, 1839.

The Queen has been pleased to present the Reverend Alan Gardner Cornwall, A. M. to the rectory of Beverston, with the chapel of Kingscot thereunto annexed, in the county and diocese of Gloucester, void by the death of the Reverend Thomas Pettat.

CIRCUITS OF THE COMMISSIONERS FOR THE RELIEF OF INSOLVENT DEBTORS.

SUMMER CIRCUITS, 1839.

NORTHERN CIRCUIT.

H. R. Reynolds, Esq. Chief Commissioner.

Rutlandshire, at Oakham, Wednesday, June 26.

Yorkshire, at Sheffield, Friday, June 28.

Yorkshire, at Wakefield, Monday, July 1.

*At the Town of Kingston-upon-Hull, Friday,
July 5.*

Yorkshire, at York and City, Monday, July 8.

Yorkshire, at Richmond, Wednesday, July 10.

Lancashire, at Liverpool, Saturday, July 13.
Cheshire, at Chester and City, Wednesday, July 17.
Flintshire, at Mold, Friday, July 19.
Denbighshire, at Ruthin, Saturday, July 20.
Anglesey, at Beaumaris, Tuesday, July 23.
Carnarvonshire, at Carnarvon, Wednesday, July 24.
Merionethshire, at Dolgelly, Friday, July 26.
Montgomeryshire, at Welch Pool, Monday, July 29.
Lancashire, at Preston, Wednesday, July 31.
Lancashire, at Lancaster, Thursday, August 1.
Westmorland, at Kendal, Thursday, August 8.
Westmorland, at Appleby, Friday, August 9.
Cumberland, at Carlisle, Saturday, August 10.
Northumberland, at Newcastle-upon-Tyne and Town,
 Tuesday, August 13.
Durham, at Durham, Thursday, August 15.

HOME CIRCUIT.

J. G. Harris, Esq. Commissioner.

Sussex, at Lewes, Friday, June 28.
At the City of Canterbury, Saturday, July 13.
Kent, at Dover, Monday, July 15.
Kent, at Maidstone, Wednesday, July 17.
Hertfordshire, at Hertford, Friday, July 26.

SOUTHERN CIRCUIT.

T. B. Bowen, Esq. Commissioner.

Berkshire, at Reading, Monday, June 24.
Oxfordshire, at Oxford, Wednesday, June 26.
Worcestershire, at Worcester and City, Friday,
 June 28.
Radnorshire, at Presteigne, Monday, July 1.
Herefordshire, at Hereford, Tuesday, July 2.
Brecknockshire, at Brecon, Thursday, July 4.
Carmarthenshire, at Carmarthen and Borough, Fri-
 day, July 5.
Cardiganshire, at Cardigan, Monday, July 8.

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Pembrokeshire, at Haverfordwest and Town, Wednesday, July 10.

Glamorganshire, at Swansea, Friday, July 12.

Glamorganshire, at Cardiff, Saturday, July 13.

Monmouthshire, at Monmouth, Monday, July 15.

Gloucestershire, at Gloucester and City, Wednesday, July 17.

At the City of Bristol, Saturday, July 20.

Somersetshire, at Bath, Wednesday, July 24.

Somersetshire, at Wells, Friday, July 26.

Devonshire, at Exeter and City, Monday, July 29.

Devonshire, at Plymouth, Thursday, August 1.

Cornwall, at Bodmin, Friday, August 2.

Dorsetshire, at Dorchester, Monday, August 5.

Wiltshire, at Salisbury, Wednesday, August 7.

Hampshire, at Winchester, Friday, August 9.

At the Town of Southampton, Monday, August 12.

MIDLAND CIRCUIT.

W. J. Law, Esq. Commissioner.

Essex, at Chelmsford, Monday, July 22.

Essex, at Colchester, Tuesday, July 23.

Suffolk, at Ipswich, Wednesday, July 24.

Norfolk, at Yarmouth, Thursday, July 25.

Norfolk, at Norwich and City, Friday, July 26.

Norfolk, at Lynn, Monday, July 29.

Suffolk, at Bury St. Edmunds, Tuesday, July 30.

Cambridgeshire, at Cambridge, Wednesday, July 31.

Huntingdonshire, at Huntingdon, Thursday, August 1.

Northamptonshire, at Peterborough, same day.

Lincolnshire, at Lincoln and City, Saturday, August 3.

Nottinghamshire, at Nottingham and Town, Monday, August 5.

Derbyshire, at Derby, Tuesday, August 6.

Leicestershire, at Leicester, Wednesday, August 7.

At the City of Lichfield, Thursday, August 8.

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Staffordshire, at Stafford, Friday, August 9.

Shropshire, at Shrewsbury, Monday, August 12.

Shropshire, at Oldbury, Tuesday, August 13.

Warwickshire, at Birmingham, Wednesday, August 14.

At the City of Coventry, Thursday, August 15.

Warwickshire, at Warwick, Friday, August 16.

Northamptonshire, at Northampton, Monday, August 19.

Bedfordshire, at Bedford, Tuesday, August 20.

Buckinghamshire, at Aylesbury, Wednesday, August 21.

Tithe Commission-Office, Somerset-House.
March 20, 1839.

The Tithe Commissioners for England and Wales have appointed John Bertram Gunning, Esq. of Whittlesford, in the county of Cambridge, Barrister at Law, an Assistant Tithe Commissioner for especial purposes; and he has taken the oath required under the provisions of the Act, 6th and 7th Wm. 4, c. 71, before Edward Jackson, a Master Extraordinary in Chancery.

FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of MARCH '26,
1839.

Lord Chamberlain's-Office, March 22, 1839.

NOTICE is hereby given, that Her Majesty will hold Drawing-Rooms, at St. James's-Palace, on the following days, at two o'clock:

Thursday, April 11th.

Thursday, April 25th.

Thursday, May 2d.

Thursday, May 23d, { to celebrate Her Ma-
 jesty's Birth-day.

Thursday, June 20th.

N. B. The Knights of the several Orders are to appear in their Collars, at Her Majesty's Drawing-Rooms, on Thursday, April 25th, being a Collar-day; on Thursday, May 23d, being for the celebration of Her Majesty's Birth-day; and on Thursday, June 20th, being a Collar-day.

Admiralty, March 26, 1839.

Copy of a Letter from Captain Smith, of Her Majesty's Ship Volage, to Rear-Admiral Sir Frederick L. Maitland, dated Aden Back Bay, 22d January 1839.

Her Majesty's Ship Volage, Aden Back Bay, 22d January 1839.

SIR,

I HAVE the honour to inform your Excellency, that the expedition under my command against this place anchored in the afternoon of the 16th instant.

The same evening I received a letter (No. 1) from the Political Agent, informing me that all negociation on his part had failed, and that hostilities had already commenced.

On receipt of this letter, I communicated with Major Baillie, the Officer commanding the troops, and we determined to lose no time in attacking the place.

The 17th was spent in drawing up the plan of the attack, and in making the necessary preparations.

On the morning of the 18th, I weighed with the squadron* to proceed to the front of the town, which I reached in the afternoon, in company with the Cruizer (towing a mortar boat) and Mahé schooner.

On standing in towards the island of Seerah, a fire was opened on the ship with musketry and several large guns, when I commenced a partial attack. The Coote (corvette) and transports not having come up, I hauled off and anchored for the night.

* Her Majesty's ships Volage and Cruizer; Honourable Company's ships Coote and Mahé; Transports, Lowjee Family, Ernaad, and Ann Crichton.

On the morning of the 19th, the whole force having arrived, I made the signal to prepare to attack, and the troops to be held in readiness for landing in two divisions; at half past nine the Volage anchored, with a spring on her small bower cable, in four fathoms water, at about three hundred yards distance from the lower battery on the island of Seerah, at the same time the Mahé took up her position to the southward of the island.

On standing in, the enemy opened a fire of great guns and musquetry on us, but the ship being laid so close to the shore, the guns on the heights were rendered useless, their shot passing over us.

At ten the Cruizer anchored, and was of essential service in destroying the flank of the battery. During this period a heavy firing was kept up, but in a short time two of the guns in the lower battery were dismounted, and most of the people were driven from the remainder, they, however, took shelter behind the ruins of the battery, and kept up an incessant fire of musquetry on the ships, and although the lower battery was almost knocked to pieces, still we had great difficulty in dislodging the men.

At this period I directed the fire to be opened on the round tower and batteries on the heights, which were filled with men armed with matchlocks, and in the course of one hour I had the satisfaction to see this tower (though sixty feet high, and strongly built), a mass of ruins.

At eleven the Coote anchored with the second division of the troops to the southward of the island, and opened her fire upon the town.

Finding the firing had not ceased from the lower battery, I directed the Mahé schooner to proceed to the end of it, and endeavour to drive out the men from behind it, by musquetry; this service was performed by her commander, Lieutenant Daniels, in a most gallant manner, but I

regret to say that Mr. Nesbitt, midshipman, was severely wounded.

The firing having now almost totally ceased, I gave directions for the boats of both divisions to land. Lieutenant Dobree, who had charge of the first division, Mr. Rundle, mate, and a quarter master of this ship, were the first on shore, and made for a sixty-eight pounder which had been fired at us several times, when a matchlock was fired at the quarter master by a man behind the gun, who was immediately cut down by him, and the first British flag was planted by Mr. Rundle.

So completely were the enemy driven from all points (with the exception of the island), by the fire of the ships, that the whole of the troops landed with the loss of only two men killed, and three wounded.

A partial firing was still kept up from the island, when I directed Lieutenant Dobree (who had returned), with two mates (Messrs. Stewart and Rundle), with a party of seamen, and Lieutenant Ayles with the marines, amounting altogether to fifty, to land and take possession of it; this was gallantly accomplished, the party ascending the heights, spiking and dismounting the guns, taking the flag which had been flying from the tower, and making prisoners of one hundred and thirty-nine armed Arabs, who were conducted from the island to the main by the party, and given over into the charge of Major Osborne. In an attempt to disarm the prisoners (made by the military), they made a most formidable resistance, and I regret to say that several lives were lost on both sides.

Mr. Nesbitt, a midshipman of the *Mahé*, was the only person hurt on board the squadron, and on the part of the military, sixteen were killed and wounded, most of them dangerously, and one serjeant has since died.

The enemy's guns were served badly and fired ir-

irregularly, they appearing to have most confidence in their matchlocks ; and there can be no doubt that if it had not been for the total destruction of their defences by the squadron, the troops would not have been able to have accomplished their landing without a very severe loss.

I have not been able to ascertain the number of armed men that defended the town, but from what I can learn there must have been upwards of one thousand ; nor can I come at the exact number that were killed or wounded, twenty-five dead bodies were found on the island of Seerah alone, several in the town, and this moment there are twenty-five wounded lying in the Mosque, amongst whom is the Sultan's nephew, who defended the island.

I beg to recommend to your notice the gallant conduct services of Lieutenant Dobree and Messrs. Stewart and Rundle (Mates) ; nor can I omit mentioning the assistance I received from Captain Haines, the Political Agent, who, from his local knowledge, piloted the ship in, which enabled me to take up so effective a position.

I herewith transmit to your Excellency a plan of the attack (No. 2), and a list of the ordnance stores (No. 3) captured.

Lieutenant Dobree is now employed with a party of men in endeavouring to get off the three large brass Turkish guns, which it is the wish of the captors should be presented to Her Most Gracious Majesty.

I intend to send the Cruizer to Barbara for water, and I shall leave this place as soon as tranquillity is restored and measures are taken for the security of the troops.

I have, &c.

(Signed) H. SMITH, Captain Commanding the Expedition.

His Excellency Rear-Admiral F. L. Maitland, L. G. C. B. &c. East Indies.

Honourable Company's Sloop of War Coote,
 SIR, *Aden Back Bay, January 16, 1839.*

ALL negotiations with the Chieftains of the Abdalla tribe having failed in bringing them to perform their written promise of transferring Aden to the British, and their having declared war by opening fire on the Honourable Company's sloop of war Coote, and her boats; in fact, after all reasoning and every strenuous endeavour has been exerted on the part of the Bombay Government to bring the deceitful and dishonourable tribe to their senses by mild and conciliating measures, have proved unavailing; I am under the necessity (as the last and only resource left to obtain satisfaction for the repeated insult offered to the British), to solicit force may be used to compel them to evacuate the ground ceded to the British under their Sultan's seal, in January 1838.

2dly. I have, therefore, the honour to request that you will, with the squadron under your command, in co-operation with the troops under the command of Major Bailie, adopt such measures for the immediate capture and occupation of Aden, as may appear to you both best calculated to obtain it.

3dly. I take the liberty of pointing out that many of the poor inhabitants of Aden have been compelled by the Chieftains to remain there, consisting principally of Jews, Banians, and Zoories; I therefore earnestly solicit that, if possible, their lives be preserved.

4th. I also beg, that if fortune should place the Sultan or his Sons, any Chieftains or Seids, in our possession, that their lives be spared; and that any individual so captured be secured to await future decision regarding them.

5th. Having a perfect knowledge of the localities of the place, I shall feel most happy to afford you
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any information on the subject; and if, from a thorough knowledge of the bay and anchorages, my services or advice be advantageous, I shall feel proud to accompany the commander of any vessel or squadron in taking up a close position for the destruction of their strongest battery.

I have the honour to be, &c.

(Signed) J. B. HAINES, Political Agent.

*To Captain Smith, Her Majesty's Ship
Volage, Senior Officer, Aden.*

*Return of Brass and Iron Ordnance captured at
Aden, on the 19th January 1839.*

In Battery, on Carriages.

- 1 brass eighty-five pounder.
- 1 brass sixty-eight pounder.
- 1 brass thirty-two pounder, dismantled by fire of the squadron.
- 4 iron eighteen pounders, dismantled by fire of the squadron.
- 2 iron twelve pounders.
- 5 iron nine pounders, dismantled and thrown into the sea by sailors.
- 5 iron six pounders.
- 1 iron four pounder.
- 5 iron three pounders.

Not in Battery.

- 1 brass eighty-nine pounder.
- 6 iron six pounders.
- 1 iron four pounder.

Total—33 guns.

- 3000 pounds of powder.
- 1200 shot of sizes (85 stone).
- 88 grape shot.
- 2 pigs of lead.
- 114 matchlocks.

(Signed) W. WILLOUGHBY, Captain, commanding Artillery, Aden Force.

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Veneris, 22^o die Martii 1839.

WHEREAS at the last election for the borough of Carlow, Francis Bruen, Esq. was returned a Member to serve in Parliament for the said borough;

And whereas three petitions, severally complaining of an undue election and return for the said borough, have been presented to the House of Commons, and which said petitions were appointed to be taken into consideration by the said House upon Thursday the 11th day of April next;

And whereas also the said Francis Bruen, Esq. hath this day informed the said House, by a declaration in writing subscribed by him, and delivered in at the table of the said House, that it is not his intention to defend his said election or return, and, in consequence thereof, the consideration of the said petitions hath been deferred until Tuesday the 30th day of April next, at three of the clock in the afternoon;

I do, therefore, hereby give this notice thereof, in pursuance of the directions of an Act, passed in the ninth year of the reign of His Majesty King George the Fourth, intituled "An Act to consolidate and amend the laws relating to the trial of controverted elections or returns of Members to serve in Parliament."

Given under my hand this 22d day of March 1839,

J. ABERCROMBY, Speaker.

Crown-Office, March 26, 1839.

MEMBER returned to serve in this present
PARLIAMENT.

Borough of Leicester.

Wynn Ellis, of Ponsbourne-park, in the parish of Hatfield, in the county of Hertford, and of Cadogan-place, in the county of Middlesex, Esq. in the room of Samuel Duckworth, Esq. who has accepted the office of one of the Masters in Ordinary of the High Court of Chancery.

FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of MARCH 29,
1839.

Westminster, March 27, 1839.

THIS day, the Lords being met, a message was sent to the Honourable House of Commons by the Gentleman Usher of the Black Rod, acquainting them, that *The Lords, authorised by virtue of a Commission under the Great Seal, signed by Her Majesty, for declaring Her Royal Assent to several Acts agreed upon by both Houses, do desire the immediate attendance of the Honourable House in the House of Peers to hear the Commission read; and the Commons being come thither, the said Commission, empowering the Lord Archbishop of Canterbury, the Lord High Chancellor* of

of Great Britain, and several other Lords therein named, to declare and notify the Royal Assent to the said Acts, was read accordingly, and the Royal Assent given to

An Act to authorise the immediate distribution of a portion of the fund applicable to the relief of persons entitled to certain arrears of tithe compositions, under an Act of the last session of Parliament, to abolish compositions for tithes in Ireland, and to substitute rent charges in lieu thereof; and for other purposes.

An Act to alter the powers of jointuring contained in several Acts for purchasing and providing a residence and estates for the Duke of Wellington; and to settle certain articles to go as heir looms with the said estates.

An Act to amend the several Acts relating to the Preston and Wyre Railway and Harbour Company.

And one private Act.

Whitehall, March 28, 1839.

The Queen has been pleased to direct letters patent to be passed under the Great Seal of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, conferring the honour of Knighthood upon the Right Honourable Edward Earl of Derby.

Whitehall, March 28, 1839.

The Queen has been pleased to present the Reverend John Swanson to the church and parish of Small Isles, in the presbytery of Skye and county of Inverness, vacant by the removal of the Reverend Donald Maclean, late Minister there.

FROM THE
LONDON GAZETTE of APRIL 2,
 1839.

Whitehall, March 28, 1839.

THE Queen has been pleased to grant the place and dignity of the Deanery of Exeter unto the Reverend Thomas Grylls, M. A. one of the Prebendaries of the cathedral church of Exeter, in the room of Doctor Whittington Landon, deceased.

Kensington-Palace, March 30, 1839.

His Royal Highness the Duke of Sussex has been pleased to appoint Lawrence Walker, Esq. to be His Royal Highness's Auditor and the Comptroller of His Household.

Kensington-Palace, April 1, 1839.

His Royal Highness the Duke of Sussex has been pleased to appoint Richard Bythell, Esq. one of the Surgeons Extraordinary to His Royal Highness, to be one of His Royal Highness's Surgeons in Ordinary.

Whitehall, April 1, 1839.

The Queen has been pleased to appoint Vice-Admiral Sir Charles Adam, K. C. B. to be Lieutenant and Sheriff Principal of the shire of Kinross, in the room of the Right Honourable William Adam, deceased.

The Queen has also been pleased to appoint the Honourable John Charles Dundas, Lieutenant and Sheriff Principal of the shires of Orkney and Zetland, in the room of Lawrence Earl of Zetland, deceased.

Downing-Street, March 30, 1839.

The Queen has been pleased to appoint the following Officers to be Companions of the Most Honourable Military Order of the Bath, viz.

Colonel James Frederick Love, commanding 73d Regiment.

Lieutenant-Colonel the Honourable Henry Dundas, commanding 83d Regiment.

Lieutenant-Colonel John Eden, Unattached, Deputy Adjutant-General, Canada.

Lieutenant-Colonel Charles Cyril Taylor, particular service, Canada.

FROM THE
LONDON GAZETTE of APRIL 5,
 1839.

Lord Chamberlain's-Office, April 5, 1839.)

NOTICE is hereby given, with reference to the Regulations to be observed at Her Majesty's Drawing-Room, on Thursday next, that no card for a presentation on that day can be received at this Office, on any account whatever, after four o'clock on Monday the 8th instant.

Board of Green Cloth, St. James's-Palace,
April 5, 1839.

NOTICE is hereby given, that all carriages coming to Her Majesty's Drawing-Room at St. James's-Palace, on Thursday the 11th of April, are to fall into the line at the top of St. James's-street, come down the left hand side of the street, round the corner of Pall-mall, and enter at the iron gate nearest to the Palace, set down at the Arcade, return by the iron gate nearest to Marlborough-house, and pass through Pall-mall into St. James's-square, by George-street. In taking up, they are to pass from St. James's-square, by Charles-street, into Regent-street, Jermyn-street, and to come down St. James's-street in like manner, pass through the same gates, and go away through Pall-mall.

No hackney coaches will be permitted to come within the iron gates, they must set down at the outside thereof, and go away through Pall-mall.

The gate at the top of Constitution-hill will be open only for the carriages of persons having the privilege of the *entrée*, which are to proceed down the Park, and enter the Palace at Stable-yard-gate, turn into the Ambassadors'-court, set down at the Arcade, and go out into Cleveland-row. The carriages of the Cabinet Ministers and Great Officers of State may afterwards wait in the King's-court, those of the Ambassadors and Foreign Ministers in the Ambassadors'-court, and those of all other persons having the *entrée* may wait in Stable-yard or St. James's-park till called for; they are then to take up in the same order as they had set down, pass away into Cleveland-row, and up the left hand side of St. James's-street.

No carriage will be admitted with company a second time with the same ticket, to prevent which, it must be produced at Constitution-hill-gate, and at Stable-yard-gate also, where a corner of it will be torn off by the Marshalmen in attendance; and no person can be allowed the privilege of the *entrée* by any other approach to the Palace than the gates above mentioned.

Tickets for carriages belonging to persons having the *entrée* will be delivered at the Board of Green Cloth, St. James's-Palace, on Tuesday next, between the hours of eleven and three o'clock.

ARGYLL, Lord Steward.

Whitehall, April 4, 1839.

The Queen has been pleased to grant the offices of Coroner and Attorney in Her Majesty's Court of Queen's Bench to Peregrine Dealtry, Esq.

*Tithe Commission-Office, Somerset-House,
March 20, 1839.*

The Tithe Commissioners for England and Wales have appointed Henry Bertram Gunning (and not John Bertram Gunning, as before advertised), Esq. of Whittlesford, in the county of Cambridge, Barrister at Law, an Assistant Tithe Commissioner for especial purposes ; and he has taken the oath required under the provisions of the Act, 6th and 7th Wm. 4, c. 71, before Edward Jackson, a Master Extraordinary in Chancery.

FROM THE
LONDON GAZETTE of APRIL 9,
1839.

Downing-Street, April 6, 1839.

THE Queen has been pleased to appoint Charles Cunningham, Esq. to be Lieutenant-Governor of the Island of St. Christopher.

Downing-Street, April 8, 1839.

The Queen has been pleased to appoint Francis Cynric Sheridan, Esq. to be Secretary and Clerk of the Council and Remembrancer of the Court of Exchequer in the Island of Barbadoes.

Whitehall, April 8, 1839.

The Queen has been pleased to present the Reverend William Brown, Clerk, to the church and parish of Half Morton, in the presbytery of Langholm and county of Dumfries.

FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of **APRIL 12,**
1839.

Buckingham-Palace, April 10, 1839.

THIS day had audience of Her Majesty, Monsieur Moreno, Minister Plenipotentiary from the Argentine Republic, to deliver his credentials:

To which he was introduced by Lord Viscount Palmerston, Her Majesty's Principal Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, and conducted by Sir Robert Chester, Knt. Master of the Ceremonies.

Whitehall, April 12, 1839.

The Queen has been pleased to direct letters patent to be passed under the Great Seal, for granting the dignity of a Viscount of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland unto the Right Honourable John Baron Ponsonby, G. C. B. Her Majesty's Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary at the Sublime Ottoman Porte, and the heirs male of his body lawfully begotten, by the name, style, and title of Viscount Ponsonby, of Imokilly, in the county of Cork.

The Queen has also been pleased to direct letters patent to be passed under the Great Seal, for granting the dignity of a Baron of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, unto the
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Right Honourable Sir Frederick James Lamb,
G. C. B. Her Majesty's Ambassador Extraordinary
and Plenipotentiary at the Court of Vienna, and the
heirs male of his body lawfully begotten, by the
name, style, and title of Baron Beauvale, of Beau-
vale, in the county of Nottingham.

*Office of the Poor Law Commissioners,
Somerset-House, April 8, 1839.*

In pursuance of an Act, passed in the session of Parliament held in the fourth and fifth years of the reign of His late Majesty King William the Fourth, cap. 76, intituled "An Act for the amendment and better administration of the laws relating to the poor in England and Wales," this is to give notice, that the Poor Law Commissioners have appointed Richard Michaux Muggeridge, Esq. late a Migration Agent, to be an Assistant Commissioner of Poor Laws; and that the said Richard Michaux Muggeridge, on the 5th day of April instant, took the oath required by the said Act, before the Honourable Mr. Justice Coltman, one of the Judges of Her Majesty's Court of Common Pleas, at his chambers, in Rolls'-gardens, Chancery-lane.

H. D. Parker, Assistant Secretary.

FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of APRIL 16,
1839.

*Poor Law Commission Office, Dublin,
April 11, 1839.*

IN pursuance of the Act, passed in the session of Parliament held in the first and second years of the reign of Her present Majesty Queen Victoria, intituled "An Act for the more effectual relief of the destitute poor in Ireland;" this is to notify, that the Poor Law Commissioners have directed their Assistant Commissioner, Richard Michaux Mugeridge, Esq. to carry the provisions of the said Act into execution.

W. Stanley, Assistant Secretary.

FROM THE
LONDON GAZETTE of APRIL 19,
 1839.

Board of Green Cloth, St. James's-Palace,
April 19, 1839.

NOTICE is hereby given, that all carriages coming to Her Majesty's Drawing-Room at St. James's-Palace, on Thursday the 25th of April, are to fall into the line at the top of St. James's-street, come down the left hand side of the street, round the corner of Pall-mall, and enter at the iron gate nearest to the Palace, set down at the Arcade, return by the iron gate nearest to Marlborough-house, and pass through Pall-mall into St. James's-square, by George-street. In taking up, they are to pass from St. James's-square, by Charles-street, into Regent-street, Jermyn-street, and to come down St. James's-street in like manner, pass through the same gates, and go away through Pall-mall.

No hackney coaches will be permitted to come within the iron gates, they must set down at the outside thereof, and go away through Pall-mall.

The gate at the top of Constitution-hill will be open only for the carriages of persons having the privilege of the *entrée*, which are to proceed down the Park, and enter the Palace at Stable-yard-gate, turn into the Ambassadors'-court, set down at the Arcade, and go out into Cleveland row. The carriages of the Cabinet Ministers and Great Officers of State may afterwards wait in the King's-court,
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those of the Ambassadors and Foreign Ministers in the Ambassadors'-court, and those of all other persons having the *entrée* may wait in Stable-yard or St. James's-park till called for; they are then to take up in the same order as they had set down, pass away into Cleveland-row, and up the left hand side of St. James's-street.

No carriage will be admitted with company a second time with the same ticket, to prevent which, it must be produced at Constitution-hill-gate, and at Stable-yard-gate also, where a corner of it will be torn off by the Marshalmen in attendance; and no person can be allowed the privilege of the *entrée* by any other approach to the Palace than the gates above mentioned.

Tickets for carriages belonging to persons having the *entrée* will be delivered at the Board of Green Cloth, St. James's-Palace, on Tuesday next, between the hours of eleven and three o'clock.

ARGYLL, Lord Steward.

At the Court at St. James's, April 17, 1839.

A CHAPTER of the Most Noble Order of the Garter having been summoned for this day, the following Knights Companions, in their mantles and collars, assembled in the Throne-room, viz.—their Royal Highnesses the Dukes of Sussex and Cambridge, the Duke of Wellington, the Marquess of Anglesey, the Marquess of Exeter, the Earl Grey, the Duke of Norfolk, the Marquess of Lansdowne, and the Duke of Somerset, attended by the under-mentioned Officers of the Order, in their mantles, chains, and badges, viz. the Lord Bishop of Winchester, Prelate of the Order; the Honourable and Reverend the Dean of Windsor, Register of the

Order ; Sir William Woods, Knt. Garter Principal King of Arms ; and James Pulman, Esq. Yeoman Usher of the Black Rod, acting by Her Majesty's permission for Sir Augustus-William-James Clifford, Bart. Gentleman Usher of the Order.

At three o'clock the Knights Companions were called over by Garter, and, with the Officers of the Order, proceeded into the presence of the Sovereign in the Royal Closet ; Garter going no further than the door, not having been sworn.

The Sovereign being seated in the chair of state, the Knights Companions took their respective seats at the table, according to the order of their stalls, the Prelate standing on the right hand of the Sovereign, and the Register and the Yeoman Usher of the Black Rod at the bottom of the table.

The Prelate then acquainted the Sovereign, that Sir William Woods, Knt. Garter Principal King of Arms, attended at the door, and humbly prayed to be admitted to take the oath of office as Chief Officer of Arms of this Most Noble Order ; and Garter in his mantle, and wearing the chain and badge of his office (with which he had been invested by Her Majesty on the 15th day of August 1838), being by the Queen's command introduced, and kneeling near the Sovereign, the oath was administered to him, Garter rising made his obeisance to the Sovereign, and, having had the honour to kiss Her Majesty's hand, withdrew to his place at the bottom of the table.

The Prelate then signified to the Chapter the Sovereign's royal will and pleasure, that the vacant stall in the Royal Chapel of Saint George, at Windsor, be filled ; and, as by the statutes, none but a Knight can be elected, his Grace William-Harry Duke of Cleveland was introduced and knighted by Her Majesty with the sword of state, after which his Grace, having had the honour to kiss the Sovereign's hand, retired.

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The Knights Companions then proceeded to the election, and the suffrages having been collected by the Prelate, were, by his Lordship, presented to the Sovereign, who was pleased to command him to declare, and he accordingly declared, that the Most Noble William-Harry Duke of Cleveland had been duly elected a Knight of the Most Noble Order of the Garter.

Then, by the Sovereign's command, his Grace was received at the door of the Chapter-room by the Marquess of Lansdowne and the Duke of Somerset, the two junior Knights Companions present, preceded by Garter (bearing the ensigns of the Order upon a crimson velvet cushion), and by the Yeoman Usher of the Black Rod; the Duke of Cleveland, kneeling near the Sovereign, and Garter presenting on his knee the Garter, Her Majesty, assisted by their Royal Highnesses the Dukes of Sussex and Cambridge, the two senior Knights Companions present, buckled it on his Grace's left leg, the Prelate pronouncing the usual admonition.

Garter next presented, in like manner, the ribband with the George, and Her Majesty, assisted as before, put the same over the Duke of Cleveland's left shoulder, the Prelate pronouncing the admonition, after which his Grace had again the honour to kiss the Sovereign's hand, and, having received the congratulations of each of the Knights Companions, withdrew.

The Chapter being ended, Garter, by command of the Sovereign, again called over the Knights Companions, who, with the Officers of the Order, retired from the presence of the Sovereign, with the usual reverences.

The Queen, as Sovereign of the Most Noble Order of the Garter, has been pleased, by letters patent under Her royal sign manual and the great seal

seal of the Order, to dispense with all the statutes and regulations usually observed in regard to installation, and to grant unto the Right Honourable Edward Earl of Derby and the Most Noble William-Harry Duke of Cleveland, Knights of the Most Noble Order of the Garter, full power and authority to exercise, respectively, all rights and privileges belonging to a Knight Companion of the Most Noble Order of the Garter, in as full and ample a manner as if the said Earl of Derby and the said Duke of Cleveland had been formally installed, any decree, rule, or usage to the contrary notwithstanding.

Downing-Street, April 18, 1839.

The Queen has been pleased to appoint Rear-Admirals Sir Charles Bullen, Kt.,—and Sir Samuel Warren, Kt.,—Companions of the Most Honourable Military Order of the Bath, to be Knights Commanders of the said Order, in the room of Sir John T. Rodd and of Sir George Eyre, deceased.

Her Majesty has further been pleased to appoint the following Officers of the Royal Navy, viz. Captain Sir Thomas John Cochrane, Kt., Captain Samuel Hood Inglefield, Captain William Bowles, and Captain Hyde Parker, to be Companions of the said Most Honourable Military Order, in the room of Sir Charles Bullen and Sir Samuel Warren, appointed Knights Commanders, and of Captains Sir William Elliott and E. P. Brenton, deceased.

St. James's-Palace, April 17, 1839.

The Queen was this day pleased to confer the honour of Knighthood upon Major Thomas Livingston Mitchell, Surveyor-General of New South Wales.

FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of APRIL 23,
1839.

At the Court at *Buckingham-Palace*, the 10th day of
April 1839.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS by an Act, passed in the session of Parliament held in the sixth and seventh years of the reign of His late Majesty King William the Fourth, intituled "An Act for carrying into effect the reports of the Commissioners appointed to consider the state of the Established Church in England and Wales, with reference to ecclesiastical duties and revenues, so far as they relate to episcopal dioceses, revenues, and patronage," reciting, amongst other things, that His said late Majesty was pleased, on the fourth day of February, and on the sixth day of June, in the year one thousand eight hundred and thirty-five, to issue two several commissions to certain persons therein

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respectively named, directing them to consider the state of the several dioceses in England and Wales, with reference to the amount of their revenues, and the more equal distribution of episcopal duties, and the prevention of the necessity of attaching, by commendam, to bishoprics, benefices with cure of souls; and to consider also the state of the several cathedral and collegiate churches in England and Wales, with a view to the suggestion of such measures as might render them conducive to the efficiency of the Established Church, and to devise the best mode of providing for the cure of souls, with special reference to the residence of the clergy on their respective benefices; and reciting, that the said Commissioners had, in pursuance of such directions, made four several reports to His said late Majesty, bearing date respectively the seventeenth day of March one thousand eight hundred and thirty-five, and the fourth day of March, the twentieth day of May, and the twenty-fourth day of June, one thousand eight hundred and thirty-six; and reciting, that the said Commissioners had in their said reports, amongst other things, recommended that commissioners should be appointed by Parliament for the purpose of preparing and laying before His Majesty in Council, such schemes as should appear to them to be best adapted for carrying into effect, amongst others, the following recommendations; and that His Majesty in Council should be empowered to make Orders ratifying such schemes and having the full force of law; and that the diocese of Ely should be increased by the counties of Huntingdon and Bedford; and that all parishes, which are locally situate in one diocese, but under the jurisdiction of the bishop of another diocese, should be made subject to the jurisdiction of the bishop of the diocese within which they are locally situate; and that such variations should be made in the proposed boundaries of the different dioceses as might appear

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advisable after more precise information respecting the circumstances of particular parishes or districts ; and that none of the proposed alterations affecting the boundaries or jurisdiction of any diocese, the bishop of which was in possession on the fourth day of March one thousand eight hundred and thirty-six, should take effect until the next avoidance of the see, without the consent of such bishop ; and that the limits of the existing deanries and archdeaconries should be newly arranged, so that every parish and extra parochial place should be within a rural deanry, and every deanry within an archdeaconry, and that no archdeaconry should extend beyond the limits of one diocese :

It is enacted, amongst other things, that the Lord Archbishop of Canterbury for the time being, the Lord Archbishop of York, and the Lord Bishop of London for the time being, John Lord Bishop of Lincoln, James Henry Lord Bishop of Gloucester, the Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain, the Lord President of the Council, the Lord High Treasurer or the First Lord of the Treasury, and the Chancellor of the Exchequer for the time being respectively, and such one of His Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State as should be for that purpose nominated by His Majesty under His royal sign manual (such Lord Chancellor, Lord President, Lord High Treasurer or First Lord of the Treasury, Chancellor of the Exchequer, and Secretary of State being respectively members of the United Church of Great Britain and Ireland), the Right Honourable Dudley Earl of Harrowby, the Right Honourable Henry Hobhouse, and the Right Honourable Sir Herbert Jenner, Knight, should, for the purposes of the said Act, be one body politic and corporate, by the name of " the Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England," and by that name should have perpetual succession and a common seal :

And it is further enacted, that the said Commissioners should, from time to time, prepare and lay before His Majesty in Council such schemes as should appear to the said Commissioners to be best adapted for carrying into effect the thereinbefore recited recommendations, and should in such schemes recommend and propose such measures as might, upon further inquiry, which the said Commissioners are thereby authorised to make, appear to them to be necessary for carrying such recommendations into full and perfect effect; provided always, that nothing therein contained should be construed to prevent the said Commissioners from proposing, in any such scheme, such modifications or variations, as to matters of detail and regulation, as should not be substantially repugnant to any or either of the said recommendations; and, in particular, that it should be competent to the said Commissioners to propose in any such scheme that all parishes, churches, or chapelries which are locally situate in any diocese, but subject to any peculiar jurisdiction other than the jurisdiction of the bishop of the diocese in which the same are locally situate, shall be only subject to the jurisdiction of the bishop of the diocese within which such parishes, churches, or chapelries are locally situate:

And it is further enacted, that when any scheme, prepared under the authority of the said Act, should be approved by His Majesty in Council, it should be lawful for His Majesty in Council to issue an Order or Orders ratifying the same, and specifying the time or times when such scheme, or the several parts thereof, should take effect, and to direct in every such Order that the same should be registered by the registrar of each of the dioceses the bishops whereof might or should be in any respect affected thereby:

And it is further enacted, that every such Order
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should, as soon as might be after the making and issuing thereof by His Majesty in Council, be inserted and published in the London Gazette.

And it is further enacted, that, so soon as any such Order in Council should be so registered and gazetted, it should in all respects, and as to all things therein contained, have and be of the same force and effect as if all and every part thereof were included in the said Act, any law, statute, canon, letters patent, grant, usage, or custom to the contrary notwithstanding:

And whereas the said Commissioners, pursuant to the authority vested in them by the said Act, have duly prepared and laid before Her Majesty in Council a scheme, bearing date the twentieth day of March one thousand eight hundred and thirty-nine, in the words and figures following, that is to say :

To the Queen's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

We, the Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England, appointed and incorporated by an Act, passed in the session of Parliament held in the sixth and seventh years of the reign of His late Majesty King William the Fourth, intituled “ An Act for carrying into effect the reports
“ of the Commissioners appointed to consider the
“ state of the Established Church in England and
“ Wales, with reference to ecclesiastical duties and
“ revenues, so far as they relate to episcopal
“ dioceses, revenues, and patronage,” have, in pursuance thereof, prepared, and now humbly lay before your Majesty in Council, the following scheme for further carrying into effect part of the provisions of the said Act relating to the dioceses of Lincoln and Ely.

Whereas on the twelfth day of April, in the year one thousand eight hundred and thirty-seven, we did, in pursuance of the said Act, prepare and lay before

His said Majesty in Council a scheme whereby we recommended and proposed, with the consent of the Right Reverend John Lord Bishop of Lincoln (amongst other things), that so much of the archdeaconry of Huntingdon as was included in and co-extensive with the county of Huntingdon, then forming part of the said diocese of Lincoln, should be detached and dissevered from the same diocese and should be and become permanently annexed and united to, and included in, and form part of, the diocese of Ely, which scheme was approved and ratified by an Order of His said late Majesty in Council, bearing date the nineteenth day of the same month of April, and which has since been duly registered, and gazetted, according to the said Act, but by reason that the parishes of Buckden, Brampton, Spaldwick, Long Stow with Little Catworth, Barham, Easton, and Leighton Bromswold, in the said county of Huntingdon, were not at the time of making the said Order subject to the jurisdiction of the Archdeacon of Huntingdon, doubts have arisen whether the said parishes were, by the said Order in Council, effectually annexed and united to the said diocese of Ely, and whether any archidiaconal jurisdiction can be exercised therein; now, therefore, for the removal of such doubts, we humbly recommend and propose, with the consent of the said John Bishop of Lincoln, in testimony whereof he has signed and sealed this scheme, that the said parishes of Buckden, Brampton, Spaldwick, Long Stow with Little Catworth, Barham, Easton, and Leighton Bromswold, shall be detached and dissevered from the said diocese of Lincoln, and shall be and become permanently annexed and united to, and included in, and form part of, the said diocese of Ely, and shall be included in, and form part of, the said archdeaconry of Huntingdon, and shall be in the deanry of Leightonstone, and that the whole clergy, and all other your Majesty's subjects,

jects, within the said parishes, shall be exempted and released from all jurisdiction, authority, and control of the present and every future bishop of Lincoln, and shall be under and subject to the jurisdiction, authority, and control of the Right Reverend Joseph, now Bishop of Ely, and his successors bishops of Ely, and of the Archdeacon of Huntingdon, for the time being, to all intents and purposes.

All which we humbly recommend and propose to your Majesty in Council.

In witness whereof we have hereunto set our common seal, this twentieth day of March one thousand eight hundred and thirty-nine.

And whereas the said scheme has been approved by Her Majesty in Council; now, therefore, Her Majesty, by and with the advice of Her said Council, is pleased hereby to ratify the said scheme, and to order and direct that the same, and every part thereof, shall take effect immediately from and after the time when this Order shall have been registered as hereinafter directed, and shall have been duly published in the London Gazette, pursuant to the said Act; and Her Majesty, by and with the like advice, is pleased thereby to direct, that this Order be forthwith registered by the several registrars of the several dioceses of Lincoln and Ely.

C. C. Greville.

Westminster, April 19, 1839.

THIS day, the Lords being met, a message was sent to the Honourable House of Commons by the Gentleman Usher of the Black Rod, acquainting them, that *The Lords, authorised by virtue of a Commission under the Great Seal, signed by Her Majesty, for declaring Her Royal Assent*
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to several Acts agreed upon by both Houses, do desire the immediate attendance of the Honourable House in the House of Peers to hear the Commission read; and the Commons being come thither, the said Commission, empowering the Lord Archbishop of Canterbury, the Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain, and several other Lords therein named, to declare and notify the Royal Assent to the said Acts, was read accordingly, and the Royal Assent given to

An Act to apply the sum of eight millions, out of the Consolidated Fund, for the service of the year one thousand eight hundred and thirty-nine.

An Act for punishing mutiny and desertion, and for the better payment of the army and their quarters.

An Act for the regulation of Her Majesty's royal marine forces while on shore.

An Act for incorporating the Preston Gas Light Company, and for better lighting with gas or otherwise the parliamentary borough of Preston, and the townships and places therein mentioned, in the county of Lancashire.

An Act for effecting improvements in the streets and other places within and contiguous to the town of Manchester.

An Act for repairing the road from Epsom to Tooting, and other roads communicating therewith, all in the county of Surrey.

And one private Act.

Buckingham-Palace, April 19, 1839.

This day had audience of Her Majesty, the Baron Bülow, Envoy Extraordinary and Minister Plenipotentiary from the King of Prussia, to take leave *pro tempore*:

To which he was introduced by Lord Viscount Palmerston, Her Majesty's Principal Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, and conducted by Sir Robert Chester, Knt. Master of the Ceremonies.

Buckingham-Palace, April 22, 1839.

This day had audience of Her Majesty, Count Sebastiani, Ambassador Extraordinary from the King of the French, and Monsieur Dedel, Envoy Extraordinary and Minister Plenipotentiary from the King of the Netherlands, to take leave *pro tempore*; and Count de Senfft Pilsach, Plenipotentiary from the Emperor of Austria at the Conference of London, relative to the affairs of Holland and Belgium, to take leave:

To which they were respectively introduced by Lord Viscount Palmerston, Her Majesty's Principal Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, and conducted by Sir Robert Chester, Knt. Master of the Ceremonies.

Whitehall, April 20, 1839.

The Queen has been pleased to grant the office of Her Majesty's Advocate for Scotland to Andrew Rutherford, Esq.

The Queen has also been pleased to grant the office of Her Majesty's Solicitor General for Scotland to James Ivory, Esq.

Whitehall, April 23, 1839.

The Queen has been pleased to present the Reverend John Walker to the church of the united parishes of St. Andrew's and Llanbride, in the presbytery and county of Elgin, vacant by the death of the Reverend William Leslie.

TOWER OF LONDON.

Pall-Mall, April 12, 1839.

Notice is hereby given, that arrangements have been made for the admission of the Public to view the Armouries at the Tower of London, at a reduced price of six pence each person, from the 1st of May next, retaining, in other respects, the existing regulations.

By order of the Master-General and
Board of Ordnance,

R. Byham, Secretary.

FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of APRIL 26,
1839.

*Board of Green Cloth, St. James's-Palace,
April 26, 1839.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that all carriages coming to Her Majesty's Drawing-Room at St. James's-Palace, on Thursday the 2d of May, are to fall into the line at the top of St. James's-street, come down the left hand side of the street, round the corner of Pall-mall, and enter at the iron gate nearest to the Palace, set down at the Arcade, return by the iron gate nearest to Marlborough-house, and pass through Pall-mall into St. James's-square, by George-street. In taking up, they are to pass from St. James's-square, by Charles-street, into Regent-street, Jermyn-street, and to come down St. James's-street in like manner, pass through the same gates, and go away through Pall-mall.

No hackney coaches will be permitted to come within the iron gates, they must set down at the outside thereof, and go away through Pall-mall.

The gate at the top of Constitution-hill will be open only for the carriages of persons having the privilege of the *entrée*, which are to proceed down the Park, and enter the Palace at Stable-yard-gate, turn into the Ambassadors'-court, set down at the Arcade, and go out into Cleveland-row. The carriages of the Cabinet Ministers and Great Officers of State may afterwards wait in the King's-court,
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those of the Ambassadors and Foreign Ministers in the Ambassadors'-court, and those of all other persons having the *entrée* may wait in Stable-yard or St. James's-park till called for; they are then to take up in the same order as they had set down, pass away into Cleveland-row, and up the left hand side of St. James's-street.

No carriage will be admitted with company a second time with the same ticket, to prevent which, it must be produced at Constitution-hill-gate, and at Stable-yard-gate also, where a corner of it will be torn off by the Marshalmen in attendance; and no person can be allowed the privilege of the *entrée* by any other approach to the Palace than the gates above mentioned.

Tickets for carriages belonging to persons having the *entrée* will be delivered at the Board of Green Cloth, St. James's-Palace, on Tuesday next, between the hours of eleven and three o'clock.

ARGYLL, Lord Steward.

St. James's-Palace, April 24, 1839.

This day had audience of Her Majesty, the Count de Pollon, Envoy Extraordinary and Minister Plenipotentiary from the King of Sardinia and from the Duke of Lucca, to deliver letters from His Royal Highness the Duke of Lucca:

To which he was introduced by Lord Viscount Palmerston, Her Majesty's Principal Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, and conducted by Sir Robert Chester, Knt. Master of the Ceremonies.

Whitehall, April 23, 1839.

The Queen has been pleased to grant the place of one of the Lords of Session in Scotland to John Archibald Murray, Esq. in the room of George Cranstoun, Esq. resigned.

*Office of the Poor Law Commissioners,
Somerset-House, April 24, 1839.*

In pursuance of an Act, passed in the session of Parliament held in the fourth and fifth years of the reign of His late Majesty King William the Fourth, cap. 76, intituled "An Act for the amendment and better administration of the laws relating to the poor in England and Wales," this is to give notice, that the Poor Law Commissioners have appointed Henry Walter Parker, of Highgate, in the county of Middlesex, and of Gray's-inn, Esq. Barrister at Law, lately one of their Assistant-Secretaries; Cæsar George Otway, Esq.; and Joseph Burke, Esq. Barrister at Law; to be Assistant Commissioners of Poor Laws; and that the said Henry Walter Parker, Cæsar George Otway, and Joseph Burke, on the 23d day of April instant, took the oath required by the said Act, before the Honourable Mr. Justice Williams, one of the Judges of Her Majesty's Court of Queen's Bench, at his chambers, in Sergeants'-inn, Rolls'-gardens, Chancery-lane.

Signed by order of the Board,

Edwin Chadwick, Secretary.

FROM THE
LONDON GAZETTE of APRIL 30,
1839.

St. James's- Palace, April 24, 1839.

AN Address of condolence from the Colonists of Mauritius, on the demise of His late Majesty, the Queen's Royal Uncle, was this day presented to Her Majesty at the Levee, which Her Majesty was pleased to receive very graciously.

St. James's-Palace, April 24, 1839.

The Queen has been pleased, on the nomination of Lord Foley, to appoint Francis Lysons Price, Esq. one of Her Majesty's Honourable Corps of Gentlemen at Arms, vice Robe, retired.

St. James's-Palace, April 24, 1839.

The Queen was this day pleased to confer the honour of Knighthood upon John Archibald Murray, of Edinburgh, Esq. one of the Judges of the Supreme Court of Scotland.

Whitehall, April 27, 1839.

The Queen has been pleased to constitute and appoint the Right Honourable Robert Montgomery Lord Belhaven to be Her Majesty's High Commissioner to the General Assembly of the Church of Scotland.

*Poor Law Commission-Office, Dublin,
April 27, 1839.*

In pursuance of an Act, passed in the session of Parliament held in the first and second years of the reign of Her Majesty Queen Victoria, intituled "An Act for the more effectual relief of the destitute poor in Ireland," this is to notify, that the Poor Law Commissioners have directed their Assistant-Commissioners, Cæsar George Otway, Esq. and Joseph Burke, Esq. Barrister at Law, to carry the provisions of the said Act into execution.

Signed by order of the Board,

W. Stanley, Assistant-Secretary.

FROM THE
LONDON GAZETTE of MAY 3,
 1839.

By the QUEEN.

A PROCLAMATION.

VICTORIA, R.

WHEREAS We have been given to understand that, in some parts of Our United Kingdom, persons have of late unlawfully assembled together, for the purpose of training or drilling persons to the use of arms, or of being trained or drilled, or for the purpose of practising military exercise, movements, or evolutions; and whereas such assemblings and proceedings are prohibited by law, as being dangerous to the peace and security of Our liege subjects, and of Our authority. And all persons guilty of such offences are punishable by transportation or imprisonment:

We, therefore, being duly sensible of the mischievous consequences likely to arise from such unlawful practices, if suffered to continue unpunished, and being firmly resolved to cause the laws to be put in execution for the punishment of such offenders, have thought fit, by the advice of Our Privy Council, to issue this Proclamation, hereby strictly commanding all Justices of the Peace, Sheriffs, Under-Sheriffs, and all other civil Officers whatsoever, that they do use their utmost endeavours to discover, apprehend,
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and bring to justice the persons concerned in the unlawful proceedings above-mentioned.

And whereas in some parts of Our United Kingdom, large numbers of persons have lately assembled and met together, many of them being armed with bludgeons and other offensive weapons, and have, by their exciting to breaches of the peace, and by their riotous proceedings, caused great alarm to Our subjects :

And whereas such meetings are contrary to law and dangerous to the peace of Our realm and to the property and the lives of Our subjects :

We, therefore, hereby strictly command all Justices of the Peace, Sheriffs, Under-Sheriffs, and all other civil Officers whatsoever, that they use their utmost endeavours to enforce the law, and prevent, put down, and suppress such unlawful meetings, and bring offenders to justice. And We strictly enjoin all Our liege subjects to give prompt and effectual assistance to Our Justices of the Peace, Sheriffs, Under-Sheriffs, and all civil Officers, in their endeavours to preserve the public peace.

Given at Our Court at Buckingham-Palace, this third day of May, in the year of Our Lord, one thousand eight hundred and thirty-nine, and in the second year of Our reign.

GOD save the QUEEN.

Whitehall, May 2, 1839.

The Queen has been pleased to direct letters patent to be passed under the Great Seal, granting the dignity of a Baron of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland to the following persons, and the heirs male of their bodies lawfully begotten:

Richard Wogan Baron Talbot de Malahide, by the name, stile, and title of Baron Furnival, of Malahide, in the county of Dublin.

Sir John Thomas Stanley, Bart. by the name, stile, and title of Baron Stanley, of Alderley, in the county palatine of Chester.

The Right Honourable Henry Villiers Stuart, by the name, stile, and title of Baron Stuart de Decies, of Dromana, within the Decies, in the county of Waterford.

Chandos Leigh, Esq. by the name, stile, and title of Baron Leigh, of Stoneleigh, in the county of Warwick.

Paul Beilby Thompson, Esq. by the name, stile, and title of Baron Wenlock, of Wenlock, in the county of Salop.

The Right Honourable Charles Brownlow, by the name, stile, and title of Baron Lurgan, of Lurgan, in the county of Armagh.

Nicholas William Ridley Colborne, Esq. by the name, stile, and title of Baron Colborne, of Westharling, in the county of Norfolk.

Arthur French, of French-park, in the county of Roscommon, Esq. by the name, stile, and title of Baron de Freyne, of Artagh, in the county of Roscommon.

Crown-Office, May 3, 1839.

MEMBERS returned to serve in this present
PARLIAMENT.

*District of Burghs of Leith, Portobello, and
Musselburgh.*

The Right Honourable Andrew Rutherford, Her Majesty's Advocate for Scotland, in the room of the Right Honourable John Archibald Murray, who has accepted the office of one of the Judges of the Court of Sessions in Scotland.

County of Ayr.

James Boyle Carr (commonly called Viscount Kilburne) in the room of Sir John Dunlop, Bart. deceased.

FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of MAY 7,
1839.

Lord Chamberlain's-Office, May 7, 1839.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Levce, intended to be held *To-morrow*, is postponed to Wednesday the 15th instant.

At the Court at *Buckingham-Palace*, the 3d day of
May 1839,

PRESENT,

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS by an Act, passed in the seventh year of the reign of His late Majesty King William the Fourth, intituled "An Act for rendering more easy the taking the poll at county elections," it is enacted, that it shall be lawful for His Majesty, by and with the advice of His Privy Council, from time to time, on petition from the justices of any county, riding, parts, or division in England or Wales, in quarter sessions assembled, representing, that the number of polling places for such county, riding, parts, or division is insufficient, and praying, that the place or places mentioned in the said petition may be a polling place or polling places for the county, riding, parts or division of the county within which such place or places is or are situate, to declare that any place or places mentioned in the said petition shall be a polling place or polling places for that county, riding, parts, or division; and that the justices of the peace for such county, riding, parts, or division, in quarter sessions or some special sessions assembled, as mentioned in the Act, passed in the third year of the reign of His said late Majesty, intituled "An Act to settle and determine the division of counties, and the limits of cities and boroughs, in England and Wales, in so far as respects the election of Members to serve in Parliament," shall, conformably to the said last-mentioned Act, divide such county, riding, parts, or division into convenient polling districts, and assign one of such districts to each polling place :

And

And whereas the justices of the peace in and for the county of Norfolk, in quarter sessions assembled, on the thirteenth day of March one thousand eight hundred and thirty-nine, agreed to petition, and have accordingly presented their petition to Her Majesty, representing that the number of polling places for the eastern division of the said county is insufficient, and therefore praying, that the town of Loddon may be a polling place for the said eastern division:

Now, therefore, Her Majesty, having taken the said petition into consideration, doth, pursuant to the said Act of the seventh year of His said late Majesty's reign, by and with the advice of Her Privy Council, declare, order, and direct, that the said town of Loddon shall be a polling place for the said eastern division; and further, that the justices of the peace for the said county, assembled in quarter sessions or some special sessions, as mentioned in the said Act of the third year of His said late Majesty's reign, shall, conformably to the said last-mentioned Act, divide the said eastern division of the said county into convenient polling districts, and assign one of such districts to each polling place.

Wm. L. Bathurst.

Buckingham-Palace, May 4, 1839.

This day Her Majesty received His Imperial Highness the Hereditary Grand Duke of Russia, upon his arrival; also His Royal Highness Prince Frederick Henry of the Netherlands, upon his arrival:

They were respectively introduced to Her Majesty by Lord Viscount Palmerston, Her Majesty's Principal Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, and conducted by Sir Robert Chester, Knt. Master of the Ceremonies.

His Imperial Highness was attended by Count Pozzo di Borgo, the Russian Ambassador, and by Count Orloff and a numerous suite: His Royal Highness was attended by Baron Bentinck, the Netherlands Chargé d'Affaires, and by an Attaché; all of whom were presented to Her Majesty.

St. James's-Palace, May 6, 1839.

The Queen has been pleased to appoint the Earl of Uxbridge, Lord Chamberlain of Her Majesty's Household, in the room of the Marquess Conyngham, resigned.

*Master of the Horse's-Office, the Queen's-Mews,
Pimlico, May 4, 1839.*

The Queen has been graciously pleased to appoint the Honourable Adolphus William Chichester to be a Page of Honour in Ordinary to Her Majesty, vice the Right Honourable William Harry Hay, commonly called Lord Kilmarnock.

Foreign-Office, May 3, 1839.

The Queen has been graciously pleased to appoint Stephen Henry Sullivan, Esq. now Secretary to Her Majesty's Legation at the Court of Sardinia, to be Secretary to Her Majesty's Legation at the Court of Bavaria.

The Queen has also been graciously pleased to appoint the Honourable Richard Bingham, now Secretary to Her Majesty's Legation at the Court of Bavaria, to be Secretary to Her Majesty's Legation at the Court of Sardinia.

The Queen has also been graciously pleased to appoint Francis Leeson Ball, Esq. now First Attaché to Her Majesty's Legation at Mexico, to be Secretary to Her Majesty's Legation at Buenos Ayres.

Whitehall, May 4, 1839.

The Queen has been pleased to grant unto William Warre, Esq. Colonel in the Army, Commandant of the Garrison, at Chatham, Companion of the Most Honourable Military Order of the Bath, and Knight of the Royal Portuguese Military Order of the Tower and Sword, Her royal licence and permission, that he may accept and wear the insignia of a Knight Commander of the Royal and Military Order of St. Bento d'Avis, which the Queen of Portugal hath been pleased to confer upon that Officer, in testimony of Her Most Faithful Majesty's royal approbation of his services during the Peninsular war, and of those he rendered as Quartermaster-General in the British Force that went to Portugal in 1826, under the command of General Clinton ; and that he may enjoy all the rights and privileges thereunto annexed; provided, nevertheless, that Her Majesty's said licence and permission doth not authorise the assumption of any style, appellation, rank, precedence, or privilege appertaining unto a Knight Bachelor of these realms :

And also to command, that the said concession and especial mark of Her royal favour be registered, together with the relative documents, in Her Majesty's College of Arms.

FROM THE
LONDON GAZETTE of *MAY* 10,
 1839.

Lord Chamberlain's-Office, May 9, 1839.

NOTICE is hereby given, that Her Majesty's Levee, intended to be held at St. James's-Palace, on Wednesday next the 15th instant, is postponed till further orders.

Whitehall, May 7, 1839.

The Queen has been pleased to order a congé d'elire to pass the Great Seal, empowering the Dean and Chapter of the cathedral church of Peterborough to elect a Bishop of that see, the same being void by the death of Doctor Herbert Marsh, late Bishop thereof; and Her Majesty has also been pleased to recommend to the said Dean and Chapter, the Very Reverend George Davys, D.D. Dean of the cathedral church of Chester, to be by them elected Bishop of the said see of Peterborough.

The Queen has also been pleased to present the Reverend George Peacock, Clerk, M. A. to the Deanry of Ely, void by the death of Doctor James Wood, late Dean thereof.

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Whitehall, May 9, 1839.

The Queen has been pleased to grant to the Reverend Frederick Anson, A.M. the Deanry of the cathedral church of Chester, void by the promotion of Dr. George Davys, late Dean thereof, to the see of Peterborough.

Downing-Street, May 8, 1839.

The Queen has been pleased to appoint Oswald Wood, Esq. to be Provost Marshal of the Island of Antigua.

Downing-Street, May 8, 1839.

The Queen has been pleased to appoint John Mason Pooley, Esq. to be Provost Marshal of the Island of Grenada and its dependencies.

Downing-Street, May 8, 1839.

The Queen has been pleased to appoint George La Coste, Esq. to be Judicial Referee and Registrar of Deeds in the Island of Trinidad.

*Office of Metropolitan Commissioners in
Lunacy, No. 6, John-Street, Adelphi,
May 7, 1839.*

The Right Honourable the Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain has, under the authority of the Act 2d and 3d William 4th, cap. 107, appointed Dr. Cornwallis Hewett, M. D. in the room of Dr. Edward James Seymour, M. D. resigned, to be one of the Metropolitan Commissioners in Lunacy, during the space of one year, for licencing and visiting all houses within the jurisdiction of the said Commissioners, and for carrying into effect the several provisions of the said Act.

By order,
Edward Du Bois, Clerk and Treasurer.

FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of MAY 14,
1839.

Master of the Horse's-Office, May 10, 1839.

THE Queen has been graciously pleased to appoint Master Charles Thomas Wemyss to be Page of Honour to Her Majesty, vice Ellice, promoted.

Crown-Office, May 14, 1839.

MEMBER returned to serve in this present
PARLIAMENT.

County of Tyrone.

Claud Hamilton, Esq. commonly called **Lord Claud Hamilton**, of Baron's Court, in the said county, in the room of Lord Viscount Alexander, now Earl of Caledon.

From the **DUBLIN GAZETTE** of Friday,
May 10, 1839.

Hanaper-Office, May 10, 1839.

ELECTION OF A TEMPORAL PEER OF IRELAND.

IN pursuance of an Act, passed in the fortieth year of the reign of His late Majesty King George the Third, intituled "An Act to regulate the mode by which the Lords Spiritual and Temporal, and the Commons, to serve in the Parliament of the United Kingdom, on the part of Ireland, shall be summoned and returned to the said Parliament," I do hereby give notice, that writs, bearing test this day, have issued for electing a Temporal Peer of Ireland, to succeed to the vacancy made by the demise of Dupré Earl of Caledon, in the House of Lords of the said United Kingdom; which said writs are severally directed to the following Peers, who sat and voted in the House of Lords in Ireland before the Union, or whose right to vote on the election of Temporal Peers of Ireland hath, upon claims made on their behalf, been admitted since the Union by the House of Lords of the said
United

United Kingdom; and that the said writs are ready to be delivered at this Office :

His Royal Highness Ernest Augustus Earl of Armagh.

Augustus Frederick Duke of Leinster.

Henry De La Poer Marquess of Waterford.

Arthur Blundel Sandys Trumbull Marquess of Downshire.

George Augustus Marquess of Donegal.

Richard Colly Marquess Wellesley.

William Marquess of Thomond.

Thomas Marquess of Headfort.

Howe Peter Marquess of Sligo.

John Loftus Marquess of Ely.

Charles William Vane Marquess of Londonderry.

Francis Nathaniel Marquess Conyngham.

George Thomas John Marquess of Westmeath.

Ulick John Marquess of Clanricarde.

John Earl of Waterford.

Edmond Earl of Cork and Orrery.

Michael James Robert Earl of Roscommon.

John Chambré Earl of Meath.

Arthur James Earl of Fingall.

Frederick John William Earl of Cavan.

Henry Earl of Kerry and Shelbourne.

John James Earl of Egmont.

Frederick Earl of Besborough.

Henry Earl of Shannon.

James Earl of Fife.

John Delaval Earl of Tyrconnell.

Philip York Earl of Arran.

James Thomas Earl of Courtown.

Joseph Earl of Milltown.

Francis William Earl of Charlemont.

John Earl of Mexborough.

Thomas Earl of Howth.

George Earl of Kingston.
 Robert Earl of Roden.
 Ernest Earl of Lisburn.
 Richard Plantagenet Earl Nugent.
 Stephen Earl of Mount Cashel.
 Edward Michael Earl of Longford.
 John Earl of Portarlington.
 John Earl of Mayo.
 John Willoughby Earl of Enniskillen.
 Edmond Earl of Kilkenny.
 George Earl of Mountnorris.
 William Forward Earl of Wicklow.
 John Henry Earl of Clonmel.
 John Earl of Clare.
 Nathaniel Earl of Leitrim.
 Richard Earl of Lucan.
 Somerset Lowry Earl of Belmore.
 Charles Henry Earl O'Neill.
 James Earl of Bandon.
 Robert Earl of Castlestuart.
 John Hely Earl of Donoughmore.
 Valentine Earl of Kenmare.
 Edmond Henry Earl of Limerick.
 William Thomas Earl of Clancarty.
 Archibald Earl of Gosford.
 Lawrence Earl of Rosse.
 Welbore Ellis Earl of Normanton.
 Charles William Earl of Charleville.
 Richard Earl of Bantry.
 Richard Earl of Glengall.
 George Augustus Frederick Earl of Sheffield.
 Francis Jack Earl of Kilmorey.
 Henry Stanley Earl of Rathdown.
 Windham Henry Earl of Dunraven.
 William Earl of Listowel.
 Thomas Earl of Ranfurley.
 Jenico Viscount Gormanstown.
 George Child Viscount Grandison.
 Henry Charles Viscount Dillon.

James Viscount Netterville.
 John Saville Lumley Viscount Lumley.
 Percy Clinton Sydney Viscount Strangford.
 Thomas Heron Viscount Ranelagh.
 James Viscount Strabane.
 Richard Pigot Viscount Molesworth.
 Richard Walter Viscount Chetwynd.
 Gustavus Viscount Boyne.
 William Keppel Viscount Barrington.
 George Edward Arundell Monckton Viscount
 Galway.
 Richard Viscount Powerscourt.
 Henry Jeffry Viscount Ashbrooke.
 Hervecy Viscount Mount-Morris.
 Arthur Trever Viscount Dungannon.
 Thomas Anthony Viscount Southwell.
 John Viscount De Vesci.
 James Viscount Lifford.
 William Viscount Melbourne.
 Hayes Viscount Doneraile.
 John James Viscount Harberton.
 Cornwallis Viscount Hawarden.
 Thomas Henry Viscount Ferrard.
 Barry John Viscount Avonmore.
 John Henry Viscount Templetown.
 Cornelius Viscount Lismore.
 Robert Viscount Lorton.
 Lodge Redmond Viscount Frankfort De
 Montmorency.
 Charles Viscount Gort.
 Standish Viscount Guillamore.
 John Thomas Baron Trimlestown.
 Edward Wadding Baron Dunsany.
 Thomas Oliver Baron Louth.
 Cadwallader Davis Baron Blayney.
 Francis Charles Seymour Baron Conway and
 Killultagh.
 John Evans Baron Carberry.

Mathew Whitworth Baron Aylmer.
 Henry Baron Farnham.
 Constantine Henry Baron Mulgrave.
 Charles George Baron Arden.
 Godfrey Baron Macdonald.
 William Baron Kensington.
 Edward Baron Rokeby.
 Mathew Fitzmaurice Baron Muskerry.
 Samuel Baron Hood.
 William Baron Riversdale.
 George Baron Auckland.
 John Cavendish Baron Kilmaine.
 Valentine Browne Baron Cloncurry.
 Robert Baron Clonbrock.
 Henry Cavendish Baron Waterpark.
 Samuel Baron Bridport.
 George Augustus Henry Anne Baron Ranelagh.
 Warner William Baron Rossmore.
 Charles John Baron Teignmouth.
 Edward Baron Crofton.
 Charles Baron Ffrench.
 Hercules Baron Langford.
 Hans Baron Dufferin and Claneboye.
 John Baron Henniker.
 Thomas Townsend Mcredith Baron Ventry.
 George Baron Mountsandford.
 Henry Baron Dunally.
 Granville George Baron Radstock.
 Alan Legge Baron Gardner.
 George Baron Nugent.
 Frederick Baron Ashtown.
 Eyre Baron Clarina.
 John Baron Rendlesham.
 John Horsley Baron Decies.
 George Baron Garvagh.
 John Francis Baron Howden.
 Ulysses Baron Downes.
 Benjamin Baron Bloomfield.

William Vesey Baron Fitzgerald and Vesci.
 Richard Wogan Baron Talbot De Malahide.
 Robert Shapland Baron Carew.
 Dominick Baron Oranmore and Browne.

C. Fitz-Simon,
 Clerk of the Crown and Hanaper.

FROM THE
LONDON GAZETTE of MAY 17,
 1839.

Lord Chamberlain's-Office, May 17, 1839.

NOTICE is hereby given, that Her Majesty will hold a Levee, at St. James's-Palace, on Wednesday next the 22d instant, at two o'clock.

Board of Green Cloth, St. James's-Palace,
May 17, 1839.

NOTICE is hereby given, that all carriages coming to Her Majesty's Drawing-Room at St. James's-Palace, on Thursday the 23d of May, are to fall into the line at the top of St. James's-street, come down the left hand side of the street, round the corner of Pall-mall, and enter at the iron gate nearest to the Palace, set down at the Arcade, return by the iron gate nearest to Marlborough-house, and pass through Pall-mall into St. James's-square,

square, by George-street. In taking up, they are to pass from St. James's-square, by Charles-street, into Regent-street, Jermyn-street, and to come down St. James's-street in like manner, pass through the same gates, and go away through Pall-mall.

No hackney coaches will be permitted to come within the iron gates, they must set down at the outside thereof, and go away through Pall-mall.

The gate at the top of Constitution-hill will be open only for the carriages of persons having the privilege of the *entrée*, which are to proceed down the Park, and enter the Palace at Stable-yard-gate, turn into the Ambassadors'-court, set down at the Arcade, and go out into Cleveland-row. The carriages of the Cabinet Ministers and Great Officers of State may afterwards wait in the King's-court, those of the Ambassadors and Foreign Ministers in the Ambassadors'-court, and those of all other persons having the *entrée* may wait in Stable-yard or St. James's-park till called for; they are then to take up in the same order as they had set down, pass away into Cleveland-row, and up the left hand side of St. James's-street.

No carriage will be admitted with company a second time with the same ticket, to prevent which, it must be produced at Constitution-hill-gate, and at Stable-yard-gate also, where a corner of it will be torn off by the Marshals in attendance; and no person can be allowed the privilege of the *entrée* by any other approach to the Palace than the gates above mentioned.

Tickets for carriages belonging to persons having the *entrée* will be delivered at the Board of Green Cloth, St. James's-Palace, on Tuesday next, between the hours of eleven and three o'clock.

ARGYLL, Lord Steward.

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Whitehall, May 15, 1839.

The Queen taking into Her royal consideration that, upon the decease of George Earl of Essex, the title and dignity of Earl of Essex devolved upon Arthur-Algernon, now Earl of Essex, as nephew and next heir of the said George Earl of Essex, deceased, and that, according to the ordinary rules of honour, the brothers and sisters of the said Arthur-Algernon, now Earl of Essex, cannot enjoy that place and precedence which would have been due to them in case their father, the late Honourable John-Thomas Capel, second son of the late William-Anne-Holles Earl of Essex, and next brother of the said George Earl of Essex, had survived the said George Earl of Essex, and had succeeded to the title and dignity of Earl of Essex; Her Majesty has been graciously pleased to ordain and declare, that Algernon-Henry-Champagné Capel, Esq.; Adolphus-Frederick-Charles-Molyneux Capel, Esq.; Horatia Capel, spinster; Jane, wife of David Macloughlin, Esq.; and Mary and Amelia Capel, spinsters, brothers and sisters of the said Arthur-Algernon now Earl of Essex, shall henceforth have, hold, and enjoy the same titles, place, pre-eminence, and precedence, as if their said late father John-Thomas Capel had succeeded to the said title and dignity of Earl of Essex:

And Her Majesty has been further pleased to command, that the said royal order and declaration be registered in Her College of Arms.

FROM THE
LONDON GAZETTE of MAY 21,
 1839.

Lord Chamberlain's-Office, May 21, 1839.

NOTICE is hereby given, that Her Majesty will hold a Levee, at St. James's-Palace, on Wednesday the 5th of June next, at two o'clock.

Buckingham-Palace, May 18, 1839.

This day had audience of Her Majesty, the Baron da Torre de Moncorvo, Envoy Extraordinary and Minister Plenipotentiary from the Queen of Portugal, to deliver his credentials :

To which he was introduced by Lord Viscount Palmerston, Her Majesty's Principal Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, and conducted by Sir Robert Chester, Knt. Master of the Ceremonies.

Foreign-Office, May 17, 1839.

The Queen has been graciously pleased to appoint John Whitehead, Esq. to be Her Majesty's Consul at Archangel.

The Queen has also been graciously pleased to appoint John Rendall, Esq. to be Her Majesty's Consul at the Cape Verde Islands, to reside at St. Jago.

FROM THE
LONDON GAZETTE of MAY 24,
1839.

Whitehall, May 22, 1839.

AN Address to the Queen, from the General Assembly of the Church of Scotland, acknowledging, with the deepest gratitude, Her Majesty's gracious Letter, together with the munificent donation of two thousand pounds, for propagating Christian knowledge in the Highlands and Islands of Scotland, having been transmitted by Robert Montgomery Lord Belhaven, Her Majesty's Commissioner, to the Right Honourable Lord John Russell, one of Her Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State, has been by him presented to the Queen; which Address Her Majesty was pleased to receive very graciously.

Whitehall, May 23, 1839.

The Queen has been pleased to grant unto Sir Arthur Farquhar, Knt. Rear-Admiral of the Blue Squadron of Her Majesty's Fleet, Companion of the Most Honourable Military Order of the Bath, Knight Commander of the Royal Hanoverian Guelphic Order, and Knight of the Royal Swedish Military Order of the Sword, Her royal licence and permission, that he may accept and wear the insignia of a Knight Commander of the said Royal Swedish Military Order of the Sword, which His Majesty the King of Sweden hath been pleased to confer upon him, in testimony of His Majesty's approbation of his services, especially at the siege of Gluckstadt; and that he may enjoy all the rights and privileges thereunto annexed:

And also to command, that Her Majesty's said concession and especial mark of Her royal favour be registered, together with the relative documents, in Her Majesty's College of Arms.

Crown-Office, May 24, 1839.

MEMBER returned to serve in this present
PARLIAMENT.

Borough of Hertford.

The Honourable William Francis Cowper.

FROM THE
LONDON GAZETTE of MAY 28,
 1839.

At the Court at *St. James's*, the 22d day of *May*
 1839,

PRESENT,

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

THIS day the Right Honourable Henry Earl of Uxbridge, Lord Chamberlain of Her Majesty's Household, was, by Her Majesty's command, sworn of Her Majesty's Most Honourable Privy Council, and took his place at the Board accordingly.

Her Majesty having been pleased to appoint the Right Honourable Edward Lord Portman to be Lord Lieutenant of the county of Somerset, his Lordship this day took the oaths appointed to be taken thereupon, instead of the oaths of allegiance and supremacy.

At the Court at *St. James's*, the 22d day of *May*
1838,

PRESENT,

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS under and by virtue of an Act, passed in the session of Parliament, holden in the third and fourth years of the reign of His late Majesty King William the Fourth, intituled "An Act for the appointment of convenient places for holding the assizes in England and Wales," Her Majesty, by and with the advice of Her Privy Council, is empowered, from time to time, to order and direct at what place or places in any county in England or Wales the assizes and sessions under the commissions of gaol delivery and other commissions for the dispatch of civil and criminal business shall be holden ;

Now, therefore, in pursuance of the said Act of Parliament, and in exercise of the authority thereby vested in Her Majesty in that behalf, Her Majesty, with the advice of Her Privy Council, doth order and direct, that from henceforth the assizes and sessions under the commissions of gaol delivery and other commissions for the dispatch of civil and criminal business in and for the county of Suffolk shall be holden as follows, that is to say, in the Summer, in the town of Ipswich, and in the Spring, in the town of Bury St. Edmunds, in the said county.

And the Right Honourable the Lord Chancellor is to give the necessary directions herein accordingly.

C. C. Greville.

At the Court at *St. James's*, the 22d day of *May*
1839,

PRESENT,

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS by an Act, passed in the seventh year of the reign of His late Majesty King William the Fourth, intituled "An Act for rendering more easy the taking the poll at county elections," it was enacted, that it should be lawful for His Majesty, by and with the advice of His Privy Council, from time to time, on petition from the justices of any county, riding, parts, or division in England or Wales, in quarter sessions assembled, representing, that the number of polling places for such county, riding, parts, or division is insufficient, and praying, that the place or places mentioned in the said petition may be a polling place or polling places for the county, riding, parts or division of the county within which such place or places is or are situate, to declare that any place or places mentioned in the said petition should be a polling place or polling places for that county, riding, parts, or division; and that the justices of the peace for such county, riding, parts, or division, in quarter sessions or some special sessions assembled, as mentioned in the Act, passed in the third year of the reign of His said late Majesty, intituled "An Act to settle and determine the division of counties, and the limits of cities and boroughs, in England and Wales, in so far as respects the election of Members to serve in Parliament," should, conformably to the said last-mentioned Act, divide such county, riding, parts, or division into convenient polling districts, and assign one of such districts to each polling place :

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And whereas the justices of the peace of the county of Bedford, in quarter sessions assembled, on the ninth day of April one thousand eight hundred and thirty-nine, have presented their petition to Her Majesty, representing that the number of polling places for the said county is insufficient, and therefore praying that the town of Dunstable may be a polling place for the said county:

Now, therefore, Her Majesty, having taken the said petition into consideration, doth, pursuant to the said Act of the seventh year of the reign of His late Majesty, by and with the advice of Her Privy Council, declare, order, and direct, that the said town of Dunstable shall be a polling place for the said county; and further, that the justices of the peace for the said county, assembled in quarter sessions, or some special sessions, as mentioned in the said Act of the third year of the reign of His late Majesty, shall, conformably to the said last-mentioned Act, divide the said county into convenient polling districts, and assign one of such districts to each polling place.

C. C. Greville.

At the Court at *St. James's*, the 22d day of *May*
1839,

PRESENT,

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS by an Act, passed in the seventh year of the reign of His late Majesty King William the Fourth, intituled "An Act for rendering more easy the taking the poll at county elections," it was enacted, that it should be lawful for His Majesty, by and with the advice of His Privy Council, from time to time, on petition from the justices of any county, riding, parts, or division in England or Wales, in quarter sessions assembled, representing, that the number of polling places for such county, riding, parts or division is insufficient, and praying, that the place or places mentioned in the said petition may be a polling place or polling places, for the county, riding, parts, or division of the county within which such place or places is or are situate, to declare that any place or places mentioned in the said petition should be a polling place or polling places for that county, riding, parts, or division; and that the justices of the peace for such county, riding, parts, or division, in quarter sessions or some special sessions assembled, as mentioned in the Act, passed in the third year of the reign of His said late Majesty, intituled "An Act to settle and determine the division of counties, and the limits of cities and boroughs, in England and Wales, in so far as respects the election of Members to serve in Parliament," should, conformably to the said last-mentioned Act, divide such county, riding, parts, or division into convenient polling districts, and assign one of such districts to each polling place.

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And whereas the justices of the peace of the county of Suffolk, at the general quarter session holden, by adjournment, at Bury Saint Edmunds, on the sixteenth day of April one thousand eight hundred and thirty-nine, presented their petition to Her Majesty, representing that the number of polling places for the western division of the said county is insufficient, and therefore praying, that the town of Clare may be a polling place for the said western division :

Now, therefore, Her Majesty, having taken the said petition into consideration, doth, pursuant to the said Act of the seventh year of the reign of His said late Majesty, by and with the advice of Her Privy Council, declare, order, and direct, that the said town of Clare shall be a polling place for the said western division ; and further, that the justices of the peace for the said county, assembled in quarter sessions, or some special sessions, as mentioned in the said Act of the third year of the reign of His late Majesty, shall, conformably to the said last-mentioned Act, divide the said western division into convenient polling districts, and assign one of such districts to each polling place in the said division.

C. C. Greville.

Westminster, May 14, 1839.

This day, the Lords being met, a message was sent to the Honourable House of Commons by the Gentleman Usher of the Black Rod, acquainting them, that *The Lords, authorised by virtue of a Commission under the Great Seal, signed by Her Majesty, for declaring Her Royal Assent to several Acts agreed upon by both Houses, do desire the immediate attendance of the Honourable House in the House of Peers to hear the Commission read;* and the Commons being come thither, the said Commission, empowering the Lord Archbishop of Canterbury, the Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain, and several other Lords therein named, to declare and notify the Royal Assent to the said Acts, was read accordingly, and the Royal Assent given to

An Act for raising the sum of thirteen millions by Exchequer Bills for the service of the year one thousand eight hundred and thirty-nine.

An Act for repealing part of an Act of the last session of Parliament, intituled "An Act for suspending, until the first day of August one thousand eight hundred and thirty-nine, and to the end of the then session of Parliament, the appointment to certain dignities and offices in cathedral and collegiate churches, and to sinecure rectories.

An Act for extending, improving, regulating, and managing the harbour of the royal burgh of Aberbrothwick, in the county of Forfar.

An Act to amend an Act of the seventh and eighth of King George the Fourth, for building a new gaol for the town of Cambridge, and for making further provisions for payment of creditors under the said Act.

An Act for providing a market-place, and for re-

gulating the markets and fairs, in the town and borough of Bury, in the county palatine of Lancaster.

An Act to enable the Rhymney Iron Company to erect and endow a church in the parish of Bedwelty, in the county of Monmouth.

An Act for the more effectual drainage of certain lands, called the Fen and Dalcs of Timberland and Timberland Thorpe, in the parish of Timberland, in the county of Lincoln.

An Act for discharging the inhabitants of the manor of Leeds, in the township and parish of Leeds, in the county of York, from the custom of grinding corn, grain, and malt at certain water corn mills, in the said manor; and for making compensation to the proprietor of the said mills.

An Act for enabling the General Cemetery Company to raise a further sum of money, and for amending the Act relating to the said Cemetery.

An Act for the better lighting and supplying the borough of Newark, in the county of Nottingham, and the neighbourhood thereof, with gas.

An Act for lighting with gas the town of Holmfirth, and the neighbourhood thereof, in the west riding of the county of York.

An Act for making a turnpike road from the town of Redruth, in the county of Cornwall, to and through the village of Hayle, in the parish of Phillack, in the same county.

An Act for repairing the road from Cotton End, near the town of Northampton, to Newport Pagnel, in the county of Buckingham.

An Act to extend, alter, and amend the powers and provisions of an Act, passed in the seventh year of the reign of His late Majesty King George the Fourth, relating to the New Cross turnpike roads, in the counties of Kent and Surrey.

An Act for repairing and maintaining the road from

from Worksop to the turnpike road at Kelham, and from Debdale-hill to the Great Northern Road, at South Muskham, in the county of Nottingham.

And ten private Acts.

Whitehall, May 28, 1839.

The Queen has been pleased to direct letters patent to be passed under the Great Seal, granting the dignity of a Baron of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland; unto the Right Honourable James Abercromby, and the heirs male of his body lawfully begotten, by the name, stile, and title of Baron Dunfermline, of Dunfermline, in the county of Fife.

Foreign-Office, May 25, 1839.

The Queen has been graciously pleased to appoint the Honourable George Sulyarde Stafford Jerningham, now Secretary to Her Majesty's Legation at the Court of Portugal, to be Secretary to Her Majesty's Legation at the Court of Spain.

FROM THE
LONDON GAZETTE of MAY 31,
1839.

St. James's-Palace, May 25, 1839.

THE Queen has been pleased, on the nomination of Lord Foley, to appoint George Constable, Esq. one of Her Majesty's Honourable Corps of Gentlemen at Arms, vice Bunn, retired.

Cambridge-House, May 28, 1839.

His Royal Highness the Duke of Cambridge has been pleased to appoint the Reverend William Harrison, M. A. to be one of His Royal Highness's Domestic Chaplains.

COURT OF QUEEN'S BENCH.

Trinity Term, 1839.—2d Victoria.

31st May 1839.

This Court will, on the 13th day of June next, hold Sittings, and will proceed in disposing of the business in the New Trial Paper, on the 13th, 14th, 15th, 17th, 18th, and 19th of the said month; and in the Special Paper, on the 20th and 21st; and in the Crown Paper, on the 22d of June; and, on the last-mentioned day, will give Judgment in cases previously argued.

By the Court.

COURT OF EXCHEQUER.

Trinity Term.—2d Victoria.

Thursday, 30th May 1839.

This Court will, on the 13th day of June next, hold Sittings, and will proceed in disposing of the business in the Special Paper on the same day and on the following day, namely, the 14th day of June; and on the same 14th day of June and on the 15th, 19th, 20th, 21st, and 22d days of the same month, will proceed in disposing of the business now pending in the Paper of New Trials.

By the Court.

FROM THE
LONDON GAZETTE of JUNE 4,
 1839.

At the Court at *Buckingham-Palace*, the 3d day of
June 1839.

PRESENT,

The *QUEEN's* Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

THIS day the Right Honourable Charles Shaw Lefevre, Speaker of the House of Commons, was, by Her Majesty's command, sworn of Her Majesty's Most Honourable Privy Council, and took his place at the Board accordingly.

Buckingham-Palace, June 3, 1839.

This day had audience of Her Majesty:

Prince Esterhazy, Ambassador Extraordinary from the Emperor of Austria, upon his return to this Court from leave of absence;

Rechid Pacha, Ambassador from the Sublime Porte, on going abroad on leave of absence;

And also His Royal Highness the Hereditary Grand Duke of Saxe-Weimar, attended by the Count Pozzo di Borgo, the Russian Ambassador, and two Aides-de-Camp, upon his arrival in this country:

To which they were respectively introduced by Lord Viscount Palmerston, Her Majesty's Principal

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Principal Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, and conducted by Sir Robert Chester, Knt. Master of the Ceremonies.

Whitehall, May 31, 1839.

The Queen has been pleased to constitute and appoint his Grace the Duke of Richmond, K.G. the Most Honourable the Marquess of Salisbury, Lord Eliot, the Right Honourable Lord Hatherton, and the Honourable William Sebright Lascelles, Her Majesty's Commissioners for enquiring into the state of the roads in England and Wales.

Whitehall, June 2, 1839.

The Queen has been pleased to present the Reverend James Aspinall, A.M. to the rectory of Althorpe, in the county and diocese of Lincoln, void by the resignation of the Reverend Charles Lacy, M. A.

*Office of Lord Chamberlain to the Queen Dowager,
Marlborough-House, May 23, 1839.*

Her Majesty the Queen Dowager has been pleased to appoint the Honourable William Ashley Cooper to be Master, Governor, and Keeper of the Royal Hospital, a free chapel, of St. Katharine, in the Regent's-park, vacant by the decease of Lieutenant-General Sir Herbert Taylor, G. C. B.

COURT OF COMMON PLEAS.

*Trinity Term.—2d Victoria.**Saturday, 1st June 1839.*

This Court will, on the 13th day of June instant, hold Sittings, and will proceed in disposing of the business now pending in the Paper of New Trials, and in the Special Paper of this Court, on the same 13th, and on the 14th and 15th days of June following; and also on the 19th and three following days of the same month, commencing with the Country New Trials.

By the Court.

FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of JUNE 7,
1839.

At the Court at *Buckingham-Palace*, the 3d day of
June 1839.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS by an Act, passed in the fourth year of the reign of His late Majesty King William the Fourth, intituled "An Act for the " general regulation of the Customs," it is, amongst other things, enacted, that goods, of places within the limits of the East India Company's charter, shall

shall be imported into such ports of the United Kingdom as shall be approved of by the Lords of the Treasury, and declared by an Order in Council, to be fit and proper for such importation; and whereas the port of Dundee has been approved of by the Lords of Her Majesty's Treasury for that purpose;

Now, therefore, Her Majesty, by and with the advice of Her Privy Council, is pleased to declare, and it is hereby declared, that the port of Dundee is a port fit and proper for the importation of goods from places within the limits of the East India Company's charter:

And the Right Honourable the Lords Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury are to give the necessary directions herein accordingly.

C. C. Greville.

Westminster, June 4, 1839.

This day, the Lords being met, a message was sent to the Honourable House of Commons by the Gentleman Usher of the Black Rod, acquainting them, that *The Lords, authorised by virtue of a Commission under the Great Seal, signed by Her Majesty, for declaring Her Royal Assent to several Acts agreed upon by both Houses, do desire the immediate attendance of the Honourable House in the House of Peers to hear the Commission read*; and the Commons being come thither, the said Commission, empowering the Lord Archbishop of Canterbury, the Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain, and several other Lords therein named, to declare and notify the Royal Assent to

the said Acts, was read accordingly, and the Royal Assent given to

An Act for removing doubts as to the appointment of a Dean of Exeter, or of any other cathedral church.

An Act to amend an Act of the thirty-ninth year of King George the Third, for the more effectual suppression of societies established for seditious and treasonable purposes, and for preventing treasonable and seditious practices, and to put an end to certain proceedings now pending under the said Act.

An Act for extending the copyright of designs for calico printing to designs for printing other woven fabrics.

An Act for the better protection of purchasers against judgments, Crown debts, *lis pendens*, and fiats in bankruptcy.

An Act for enabling the trustees of the British Museum to purchase certain houses and grounds for the enlargement of the museum, and making a suitable access thereto.

An Act to provide for the more effectual execution of the office of a justice of the peace within and adjoining to the district, called the Staffordshire Potteries, and for purposes connected therewith.

An Act to amend the Acts relating to the Great Western Railway, and to raise a further sum of money for the purposes of the said undertaking.

An Act to amend the Acts relating to the London and Southampton Railway Company, hereafter to be called the London and South Western Railway Company, and to make a branch railway to the port of Portsmouth.

An Act for granting further powers to the London and Greenwich Railway Company.

An Act to amend and enlarge the powers and provisions of the several Acts relating to the London and Croydon Railway.

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An Act to alter, amend, and enlarge the powers and provisions of two several Acts, of the eleventh year of the reign of King George the Fourth, and first year of the reign of King William the Fourth, and fourth and fifth year of the reign of King William the Fourth, for improving the port and harbour of Perth, and the navigation of the River Tay to the said city.

An Act for enabling the Company of Proprietors of the Herefordshire and Gloucestershire Canal Navigation to raise a further sum of money.

An Act for enabling the Cheltenham Waterworks Company to enlarge and extend their works, and for amending the Act relating thereto.

An Act to consolidate, amend, enlarge, and extend the powers and provisions of two Acts of King George the Third, for better supplying the town and neighbourhood of Rochdale with water.

An Act for more effectually repairing and improving the road from Wearmouth-bridge to Tyne-bridge, with a branch from the said road to the town of South Shields, all in the county of Durham.

An Act for more effectually repairing and maintaining the road from Padbrooke-bridge, in the parish of Cullompton, to Hazelstone, in the parish of Broadlist, all in the county of Devon.

An Act for repairing and maintaining the road from the town of Rugby to the borough of Warwick, all in the county of Warwick.

And five private Acts.

St. James's-Palace, June 1, 1839.

The Queen has been pleased to appoint Thomas Seymour Sadler, Esq. Exon of Her Majesty's Body Guard of Yeomen of Her Guard, in the room of Sir Thomas J. H. Curties, retired.

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St. James's-Palace, June 5, 1839.

The Queen was this day pleased to confer the honour of Knighthood upon Thomas Hastings, of Titley-house, in the county of Hereford, Esq. Captain in the Royal Navy, commanding Her Majesty's ship Excellent.

St. James's-Palace, June 5, 1839.

The Queen was this day pleased to confer the honour of Knighthood upon Colonel William Warre, Commandant of the Garrison at Chatham, Companion of the Most Honourable Military Order of the Bath, Knight Commander of the Royal and Military Order of St. Bento d'Avis, and Knight of the Royal Military Order of the Tower and Sword of Portugal.

Crown-Office, June 6, 1839.

MEMBER returned to serve in this present
PARLIAMENT.

City of Edinburgh.

Thomas Babington Macaulay, Esq. of Clarges-street, London, in the room of the Right Honourable James Abercromby, now Baron Dunfermline.

Whitehall, June 9, 1839.

The Queen has been pleased to issue a new Commission of Lieutenancy for the city of London, constituting and appointing the several persons undermentioned to be Her Majesty's Commissioners for that purpose, viz :—Her right trusty and well-beloved Samuel Wilson, Esq., Lord Mayor of the city of London, and the Lord Mayor of the said city for the time being ; Her trusty and well-beloved Sir Claudius Stephen Hunter, Bart., George Scholey and Samuel Birch, Esqrs., Sir Matthew Wood, Bart., Sir William Heygate, Bart., William Venables, Anthony Brown, Matthias Prime Lucas, and William Thompson, Esqrs., Sir John Key, Bart., Sir Peter Laurie, Knt., Charles Farebrother, William Taylor Copeland, and Thomas Kelly, Esqrs., Sir John Cowan, Bart., Aldermen of the city of London, Charles Ewan Law, Esq., Recorder of the city of London, and the Recorder of the said city for the time being, Sir Chapman Marshall, Knt., James Harmer, Thomas Johnson, John Pirie, Thomas Wood, John Lainson, James White, John Humphery, William Magnay, and Michael Gibbs, Esqrs. Aldermen of the city of London, and the Aldermen of the said city for the time being ; Sir James Shaw, Bart. Chamberlain of the city of London, and the Chamberlain of the said city for the time being ; Henry Woodthorpe, Esq. Town-Clerk of the city of London, and the Town-Clerk of the said city for the time being ; John Mirehouse, Esq. Common Serjeant of the city of London, and the Common Serjeant of the said city for the time being ; Thomas Price, Joseph Daw, Thomas Whitby, Richard Brook, John Blacket, Joseph Carter, William Sandell Angell, John Lorkin, Thomas Corney, David Allan, William Curling, John Downes, James Frisby, William Green, Rich-

Richard Hicks, William Thomas Heath, John Kinnersley Hooper, Walter Anderson Peacock, William Parnell Tyars, Robert Westwood, Thomas Quested Finnis, John Obadiah Jaques, James Ramshaw, William Stevens, John Atkinson, James Southby Bridge, John Brown, Edward Godson, Thomas Pewtress, and William Richardson, Esqrs., Deputies of the city of London, and the Deputies thereof for the time being; John Garratt, Edward Tiekner, Robert Williams, and George Hibbert, Esqrs., Sir Robert Baker, Knt., James Brogden and Stephen Edward Thornton, Esqrs., Sir Thomas Neave, Bart., Jeremiah Olive, Jeremiah Harman, Isaac Solly, Andrew Loughnan, Abel Chapman, Andrew Henry Thompson, Cornelius Buller, William Ward, and Melvil Wilson, Esqrs., Sir John Rae Reid, Bart., John Henry Pelley, Robert Barelay, John Bowden, Henry Davidson, Abel Lewis Gower, Thomson Hankey, jun., John Benjamin Heath, John Gellebrand Hubbard, Charles Frederick Huth, Alfred Latham, James Malcolnson, William Cotton, Humphrey St. John Mildmay, James Morris, George Warde Norman, John Horsley Palmer, James Pattison, Christopher Pearse, Timothy Abraham Curtis, Charles Pole, Henry Poreher, William R. Robinson, Thomas Charles Smith, Thomas Matthias Wiguelin, Bonamy Dobree, Charles Paseoe Grenfell, John Oliver Hanson, Rowland Mitchell, Sheffield Neave, Henry James Preseott, Thomas Warre, Money Wigram, and William Unwin Sims, Esqrs.; Sir James Law Lushington, Knight Grand Cross of the Most Honourable Military Order of the Bath; Sir Richard Jenkins, Knight Grand Cross of the Most Honourable Military Order of the Bath; William Astell, Campbell Marjoribanks, William Wigram, William Stanley Clarke, John Thornhill, John Loch, Charles Mills, John Masterman, John Petty Muspratt, Henry Saint George Tucker, and Henry Alexander, Esqrs.,

Sir

Sir William Young, Bart., George Lyall, John Forbes, Henry Shank, Russell Ellice, and John Cotton, Esqrs., Patrick Vans Agnew, Esq., Companion of the Most Honourable Order of the Bath, William Butterworth Bayley, John Shepherd, Francis Warden, Martin Tucker Smith, and Josias Dupre Alexander, Esqrs., Sir Robert Campbell, Bart., Neil Benjamin Edmonstone, Hugh Lindsay, and John Goldsborough Ravenshaw, Esqrs., Sir Henry Willock, Knt., Charles Franks, Thomas Vigne, Charles John Baker, Henry Berens, and Philip Pleydell Bouverie, Esqrs., Sir Richard Plumptre Glyn, Bart., Matthew Harrison, Henry Lannoy Hunter, Henry Kingscote, William Phillimore, Abraham Pole, John Thornton, Edward Vaux, John Willing Warren, John Beauclerk, James Whatman Bosanquet, Ebenezer Fuller Maitland, Charles John Manning, Brice Pearse, junr., George Whitmore, Abraham Robarts, George Carr Glyn, William Saint Julian Arabin, George Rickards, Jonathan Muckleston Key, Theophilus Green, George Henry Holm, Abraham John Valpy, Robert Sceley, and John Murray, Esqrs., Sir Charles Price, Bart., Sir William Henry Poland, Knt., Benjamin Barnard, George Woodfall, Thomas Alers Hankey, and John Gore, Esqrs., Sir Moses Montefiore, Knt., Sir George Carroll, Knt., Samuel James Capper, Henry Butterworth, Edward Tyrrell, William Croft, John Alexander Hankey, and George Raikes, Esqrs., Sir James Rivett Carnac, Bart., Charles Bosanquet, James Anderton, and Daniel Britten, Esqrs., Sir James Duke, Knt., George Dodd, Francis Bligh Hookey, William Hughes Hughes, jun., John Johnson, George Meek, Ambrose Moore, Joseph Oldham, William Matthew Thiselton, William Venables, jun., Josiah Wilson, Alfred Wilson, Cornelius Lea Wilson, Edward Lauford, Peter Laurie, Edward Wilson, and Richard Lea Wilson, Esqrs.

FROM THE
LONDON GAZETTE of JUNE 11,
 1839.

Whitehall, June 11, 1839.

THE Queen has been pleased to grant the archdeaconry of the Isle of Man to the Reverend John Cecil Hall, B. C. L. void by the resignation of the Reverend Benjamin Philpot.

The Queen has also been pleased to present the Reverend John Cecil Hall, B. C. L. to the rectory of Andreas, in the Isle of Man, and diocese of the same, void by the resignation of the Reverend Benjamin Philpot.

Crown-Office, June 10, 1839.

MEMBER returned to serve in this present
 PARLIAMENT.

Borough of Ludlow.

Thomas Alcock, of Kingswood, in the county of Surrey, Esq. in the room of the Right Honourable Viscount Clive, now Earl of Powis.

*Tithe Commission-Office, Somerset-House,
June 8, 1839.*

The Tithe Commissioners for England and Wales have appointed George Hammond Whalley, Esq. of Church-yard-court, Temple, Barrister at Law, an Assistant Tithe Commissioner for especial purpose; and he has taken the oath required under the provisions of the Act, 6th and 7th Wm. 4, c. 71, before Sir J. T. Coleridge, Knt. one of the Justices of Her Majesty's Court of Queen's Bench.

FROM THE

*LONDON GAZETTE of JUNE 14,
1839.*

Lord Chamberlain's-Office, June 14, 1839.

NOTICE is hereby given, that Her Majesty will hold a Levee, at St. James's-Palace, on Wednesday the 26th instant, at two o'clock.

*Board of Green Cloth, St. James's-Palace,
June 14, 1839.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that all carriages coming to Her Majesty's Drawing-Room at St. James's-Palace, on Thursday the 20th of June, are to fall into the line at the top of St. James's-street, come down the left hand side of the street, round the corner of Pall-mall, and enter at the iron gate nearest to the Palace, set down at the Arcade, return by the iron gate nearest to Marlborough-house, and pass through Pall-mall into St. James's-square, by George-street. In taking up, they are to pass from St. James's-square, by Charles-street, into Regent-street, Jermyn-street, and to come down St. James's-street in like manner, pass through the same gates, and go away through Pall-mall.

No hackney coaches will be permitted to come within the iron gates, they must set down at the outside thereof, and go away through Pall-mall.

The gate at the top of Constitution-hill will be open only for the carriages of persons having the privilege of the *entrée*, which are to proceed down the Park, and enter the Palace at Stable-yard-gate, turn into the Ambassadors'-court, set down at the Arcade, and go out into Cleveland-row. The carriages of the Cabinet Ministers and Great Officers of State may afterwards wait in the King's-court, those of the Ambassadors and Foreign Ministers in the Ambassadors'-court, and those of all other persons having the *entrée* may wait in Stable-yard or St. James's-park till called for; they are then to take up in the same order as they had set down, pass away into Cleveland-row, and up the left hand side of St. James's-street.

No carriage will be admitted with company a second time with the same ticket, to prevent which, it must be produced at Constitution-hill-gate, and at
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Stable-yard-gate also, where a corner of it will be torn off by the Marshalmen in attendance ; and no person can be allowed the privilege of the *entrée* by any other approach to the Palace than the gates above mentioned.

Tickets for carriages belonging to persons having the *entrée* will be delivered at the Board of Green Cloth, St. James's-Palace, on Tuesday next, between the hours of eleven and three o'clock.

ARGYLL, Lord Steward.

At the Court at *Buckingham-Palace*, the 13th day of
June 1839,

PRESENT,

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS under and by virtue of an Act, passed in the session of Parliament, holden in the third and fourth years of the reign of His late Majesty King William the Fourth, intituled "An Act for the appointment of convenient places for the holding of assizes in England and Wales," Her Majesty, by and with the advice of Her Privy Council, is empowered, from time to time, to order and direct at what place or places in any county in England or Wales the assizes and sessions under the commissions of gaol delivery and other commissions for the dispatch of civil and criminal business shall be holden :

And whereas Her Majesty was pleased, by Her Order in Council of the fourth day of February last, to direct that the assizes and sessions under the commissions of gaol delivery and other commissions for the dispatch of civil and criminal business in and for the county of Montgomery, should henceforth be
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holden at Welchpool in the Spring, and at Newtown in the Summer, in every year ;

Now, therefore, Her Majesty is pleased, by and with the advice of Her Privy Council, to order that the said Order in Council of the fourth day of February last, be, and the same is, hereby revoked.

And the Right Honourable the Lord High Chancellor is to give the necessary directions herein accordingly.

C. C. Greville.

At the Court at *Buckingham-Palace*, the 13th day of
June 1839,

PRESENT,

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS by an Act, passed in the seventh year of the reign of His late Majesty King William the Fourth, intituled "An Act for rendering more easy the taking the poll at county elections," it was enacted, that it should be lawful for His Majesty, by and with the advice of His Privy Council, from time to time, on petition from the justices of any county, riding, parts, or division in England or Wales, in quarter sessions assembled, representing, that the number of polling places for such county, riding, parts, or division is insufficient, and praying, that the place or places mentioned in the said petition might be a polling place or polling places for the county, riding, parts or division of the county within which such place or places is or are situate, to declare that any place or places mentioned in the said petition should be a polling place or polling places for that county, riding, parts, or division ; and that the justices of the peace for such county, riding, parts, or division, in quarter sessions or some special sessions assembled,

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as mentioned in the Act, passed in the third year of the reign of His said late Majesty, intituled "An Act to settle and determine the division of counties, and the limits of cities and boroughs, in England and Wales, in so far as respects the election of Members to serve in Parliament," should, conformably to the said last-mentioned Act, divide such county, riding, parts, or division into convenient polling districts, and assign one of such districts to each polling place :

And whereas the justices of the peace for the county of Northumberland, in quarter sessions assembled, on the eleventh day of April one thousand eight hundred and thirty-nine, presented their petition to Her Majesty, representing that the number of polling places for the southern division of the said county is insufficient, and therefore praying, that Allendale Town may be a polling place for the said division:

Now, therefore, Her Majesty, having taken the said petition into consideration, doth, pursuant to the said Act of the seventh year of His said late Majesty's reign, by and with the advice of Her Privy Council, declare, order, and direct, that Allendale Town shall be a polling place for the said division; and further, that the justices of the peace for the said county, assembled in quarter sessions or some special sessions, as mentioned in the said Act of the third year of His said late Majesty's reign, shall, conformably to the said last-mentioned Act, divide the said division of the said county into convenient polling districts, and assign one of such districts to each polling place.

C. C. Greville.

FROM THE
LONDON GAZETTE of JUNE 18,
 1839.

Westminster, June 14, 1839.

THIS day, the Lords being met, a message was sent to the Honourable House of Commons by the Gentleman Usher of the Black Rod, acquainting them, that *The Lords, authorised by virtue of a Commission under the Great Seal, signed by Her Majesty, for declaring Her Royal Assent to several Acts agreed upon by both Houses, do desire the immediate attendance of the Honourable House in the House of Peers to hear the Commission read*; and the Commons being come thither, the said Commission, empowering the Lord Archbishop of Canterbury, the Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain, and several other Lords therein named, to declare and notify the Royal Assent to the said Acts, was read accordingly, and the Royal Assent given to

An Act to secure to proprietors of designs for articles of manufacture the copyright of such designs, for a limited time.

An Act for improving the practice and proceedings of the Court of Pleas of the county palatine of Durham and Sadberge.

An Act for establishing an effective police in places within or adjoining to the district called the Staffordshire Potteries; and for improving and
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cleansing the same, and better lighting parts thereof.

An Act for more effectually paving the streets of the city of Perth, for the better lighting, watching, and cleansing the said city and suburbs thereof, for maintaining and regulating the police of the same, and for other purposes relating thereto.

An Act for more effectually repairing, improving, and maintaining the harbour of Eyemouth, in the county of Berwick.

An Act to amend the Acts relating to the South Eastern Railway.

An Act for enabling the Liverpool and Manchester Railway Company to extend the line of the said railway; and for amending and enlarging the powers and provisions of the several Acts relating to such railway.

An Act for amending and enlarging the provisions of the several Acts relating to the Great North of England Railway Company, and for other purposes relating thereto.

An Act to enable the London and Birmingham Railway Company to raise a further sum of money.

An Act for granting further powers to the Company of Proprietors of the Parrett Navigation.

An Act for better lighting with gas the town of Brighton, and the several places therein mentioned, in the county of Sussex.

An Act for making and maintaining certain reservoirs in the township of Rishworth, in the parish of Halifax, in the west riding of the county of York.

An Act to enable the General Commissioners for Drainage, by the River Witham, in the county of Lincoln, to sue and be sued in the name or names of any one of the said Commissioners, or of their clerk or clerks for the time being.

An Act for repairing several roads leading to the towns of Basingstoke, Odiham, and Alton, in the
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county of Southampton, and for making several deviations in the line of the said roads.

An Act for making a turnpike road from Morville to Shipton, with a branch to Brockton, and another branch from Brockton to Easthope's Crossall, in the county of Salop.

An Act for repairing, improving, and maintaining the roads from Bury through Haslingden to Blackburn and Whalley, and other roads communicating therewith, in the county palatine of Lancaster.

An Act for repairing, improving, and maintaining the roads from Clitheroe through Whalley to Blackburn and Mellor Brook, in the county palatine of Lancaster; and for making a new piece of road to communicate therewith.

An Act for repairing and maintaining the road from Leeds through Harewood to the south west corner of the inclosures of Harrogate, in the west riding of the county of York.

An Act for repairing the road from Dover, in the county of Kent, through Deal to Sandwich, in the said county.

And eight private Acts.

Lord Chamberlain's-Office, June 7, 1839.

The Lord Chamberlain of Her Majesty's Household has appointed Edward Hobhouse, Esq. one of the Gentlemen Ushers Quarterly Waiters in Ordinary to Her Majesty, in the room of Lord De Ros, resigned.

Whitehall, June 14, 1839.

The Queen has been pleased to direct letters patent to be passed under the Great Seal, appointing the Right Honourable John William Baron Duncannon (commonly called Viscount Duncannon), Alexander Milne, Esq. and Charles Alexander Gore, Esq. (commonly called the Honourable Charles Alexander Gore), to be Commissioners of Her Majesty's Woods, Forests, Land Revenues, Works, and Buildings.

FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of JUNE 25,
1839.

Buckingham-Palace, June 21, 1839.

THIS day had audience of Her Majesty, to take leave *pro tempore*, Count Pozzo di Borgo, Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary from His Majesty the Emperor of all the Russias :

To which he was introduced by Lord Viscount Palmerston, Her Majesty's Principal Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, and conducted by Sir Robert Chester, Knt. Master of the Ceremonies.

Whitehall, June 24, 1839.

The Queen has been pleased to grant unto William-Honyman Henderson, Esq. Captain in the Royal Navy, Her royal licence and permission, that he may accept and wear the cross, of the second class, of the National and Military Order of San Fernando, which the Queen Regent of Spain hath been pleased to confer upon him, in testimony of Her royal approbation of his services in the various actions which took place, from the siege of Bilbao, in June 1835, to the 4th of May 1837; and that he may enjoy all the rights and privileges thereunto annexed; provided, nevertheless, that Her Majesty's said licence and permission doth not authorize the assumption of any style, appellation, rank, precedence, or privilege appertaining unto a Knight Bachelor of these realms:

And also to command, that Her Majesty's said concession and especial mark of Her royal favour be registered, together with the relative documents, in Her Majesty's College of Arms.

*Poor Law Commission Office, Dublin,
June 17, 1839.*

In pursuance of the 10th section of an Act, passed in the session of Parliament held in the first and second years of the reign of Her present Majesty Queen Victoria, intituled "An Act for the more effectual relief of the destitute poor in Ireland;" this is to notify, that the Poor Law Commissioners have directed their Assistant Commissioner, Richard Hall, Esq. to carry the provisions of the said Act into execution.

By order of the Board,

W. Stanley, Assistant Secretary.

FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of JUNE 28,
1839.

Foreign-Office, June 25, 1839.

THE Queen has been graciously pleased to nominate and appoint Arthur Aston, Esq. now Secretary to Her Majesty's Embassy at Paris, to be Her Majesty's Envoy Extraordinary and Minister Plenipotentiary to the Queen of Spain.

The Queen has also been graciously pleased to nominate and appoint Henry Lytton Bulwer, Esq. now Secretary to Her Majesty's Embassy at St. Petersburg, to be Secretary to Her Majesty's Embassy at Paris.

The Queen has also been graciously pleased to nominate and appoint the Honourable John Arthur Douglas Bloomfield, now Secretary to Her Majesty's Legation at Stockholm, to be Secretary to Her Majesty's Embassy at St. Petersburg.

Crown-Office, June 28, 1839.

MEMBER returned to serve in this present
PARLIAMENT.

City of Glasgow.

James Oswald, Esq. merchant, in Glasgow, in the room of Lord William Bentinck, who has accepted the Chiltern Hundreds.

FROM THE
LONDON GAZETTE of JULY 2,
 1839.

Lord Chamberlain's-Office, June 27, 1839.

THE Reverend John Vane has been appointed, by the Queen's command, one of the Deputy Clerks of the Closet to Her Majesty, in the room of the Bishop of Peterborough.

Cambridge-House, June 26, 1839.

His Royal Highness the Duke of Cambridge has been pleased to appoint Major Hugh Rose, of the 92d Highlanders, to be one of His Royal Highness's Equerries.

CIRCUITS OF THE COMMISSIONERS FOR
 THE RELIEF OF INSOLVENT DEBTORS.

AUTUMN CIRCUITS, 1839.

NORTHERN CIRCUIT.

H. R. Reynolds, Esq. Chief Commissioner.

Rutlandshire, at Oakham, Wednesday, October 23.

Yorkshire, at Sheffield, Friday, October 25.

Yorkshire, at Wakefield, Monday, October 28.

*At the Town of Kingston-upon-Hull, Saturday,
 November 2.*

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Yorkshire, at York and City, Tuesday, November 5.

Yorkshire, at Richmond, Thursday, November 7.

Durham, at Durham, Friday, November 8.

Northumberland, at Newcastle-upon-Tyne and Town, Monday, November 11.

Cumberland, at Carlisle, Wednesday, November 13.

Westmorland, at Appleby, Friday, November 15.

Westmorland, at Kendal, Saturday, November 16.

Lancashire, at Lancaster, Monday, November 18.

Lancashire, at Preston, Tuesday, November 26.

Lancashire, at Liverpool, Thursday, November 28.

Cheshire, at Chester and City, Monday, December 2.

Flintshire, at Mold, Wednesday, December 4.

Denbighshire, at Ruthin, Thursday, December 5.

Anglesey, at Beaumaris, Saturday, December 7.

Carnarvonshire, at Carnarvon, Monday, December 9.

Merionethshire, at Dolgelly, Wednesday, December 11.

Montgomeryshire, at Welch Pool, Friday, December 13.

MIDLAND CIRCUIT.

J. G. Harris, Esq. Commissioner.

Essex, at Chelmsford, Tuesday, October 29.

Essex, at Colchester, Wednesday, October 30.

Suffolk, at Ipswich, Thursday, October 31.

Norfolk, at Yarmouth, Saturday, November 2.

Norfolk, at Norwich and City, Monday, November 4.

Norfolk, at Lynn, Wednesday, November 6.

Suffolk, at Bury St. Edmunds, Thursday, November 7.

Cambridgeshire, at Cambridge, Friday, November 8.

Huntingdonshire, at Huntingdon, Saturday, November 9.

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Northamptonshire, at Peterborough, Monday, November 11.

Lincolnshire, at Lincoln and City, Tuesday, November 12.

Nottinghamshire, at Nottingham and Town, Thursday, November 14.

Derbyshire, at Derby, Saturday, November 16.

At the City of Lichfield, Monday, November 18.

Staffordshire, at Stafford, Tuesday, November 19.

Shropshire, at Shrewsbury, Friday, November 22.

Shropshire, at Oldbury, Monday, November 25.

Warwickshire, at Birmingham, Tuesday, November 26.

Warwickshire, at Warwick, Thursday, November 28.

At the City of Coventry, Saturday, November 30.

Leicestershire, at Leicester, Monday, December 2.

Northamptonshire, at Northampton, Wednesday, December 4.

Bedfordshire, at Bedford, Thursday, December 5.

Buckinghamshire, at Aylesbury, Friday, December 6.

HOME CIRCUIT.

T. B. Bowen, Esq. Commissioner.

Kent, at Dover, Wednesday, October 23.

At the City of Canterbury, Thursday, October 24.

Kent, at Maidstone, Friday, October 25.

Sussex, at Horsham, Tuesday, October 29.

Hertfordshire, at Hertford, Wednesday, November 20.

SOUTHERN CIRCUIT.

W. J. Law, Esq. Commissioner.

Berkshire, at Reading, Monday, October 28.

Oxfordshire, at Oxford, Tuesday, October 29.

Worcestershire, at Worcester and City, Thursday, October 31.

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- Herefordshire*, at Hereford, Saturday, November 2.
Radnorshire, at Presteigne, Monday, November 4.
Brecknockshire, at Brecon, Tuesday, November 5.
Carmarthenshire, at Carmarthen and Borough, Thursday, November 7.
Cardiganshire, at Cardigan, Saturday, November 9.
Pembrokeshire, at Haverfordwest and Town, Monday, November 11.
Glamorganshire, at Swansea, Wednesday, November 13.
Glamorganshire, at Cardiff, Friday, November 15.
Monmouthshire, at Monmouth, Monday, November 18.
Gloucestershire, at Gloucester and City, Wednesday, November 20.
At the City of Bristol, Saturday, November 23.
Somersetshire, at Bath, Tuesday, November 26.
Somersetshire, at Wells, Wednesday, November 27.
Devonshire, at Exeter and City, Friday, November 29.
Devonshire, at Plymouth, Monday, December 2.
Cornwall, at Bodmin, Tuesday, December 3.
Dorsetshire, at Dorchester, Friday, December 6.
Wiltshire, at Salisbury, Monday, December 9.
At the Town of Southampton, Tuesday, December 10.
Hampshire, at Winchester, Wednesday, December 11.

FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of JULY 5,
1839.*Westminster, July 1, 1839.*

THIS day, the Lords being met, a message was sent to the Honourable House of Commons by the Gentleman Usher of the Black Rod, acquainting them, that *The Lords, authorised by virtue of a Commission under the Great Seal, signed by Her Majesty, for declaring Her Royal Assent to several Acts agreed upon by both Houses, do desire the immediate attendance of the Honourable House in the House of Peers to hear the Commission read*; and the Commons being come thither, the said Commission, empowering the Lord Archbishop of Canterbury, the Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain, and several other Lords therein named, to declare and notify the Royal Assent to the said Acts, was read accordingly, and the Royal Assent given to

An Act to enable archbishops and bishops to raise money on mortgage of their sees, for the purpose of building and otherwise providing fit houses for their residence.

An Act to authorise the application of part of the land revenues of the Crown, for the erection of stables and stable offices contiguous to Windsor Castle.

An Act to amend an Act, of the sixth and seventh years of His late Majesty King William the Fourth,
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for consolidating the laws relating to the presentment of public money by grand juries in Ireland, so as to enable the grand jury of the county of Waterford to make presentments on account of the Fever Hospital of the said county, although situate in the county of the city of Waterford.

An Act for further improving and maintaining the harbour of the burgh of regality of Fraserburgh, in the county of Aberdeen.

An Act to alter the line of the North Midland Railway, and to amend the Acts relating thereto.

An Act to alter, amend, and enlarge the powers and provisions of an Act, passed in the seventh year of the reign of His Majesty King William the Fourth, intituled "An Act for making and maintaining a railway or railways from the city of Edinburgh to Leith, and to the shore of the Frith of Forth, at or near to Newhaven and Trinity, all in the county of Edinburgh; and to alter and vary the lines and levels of the railways thereby authorised to be made; and for other purposes relating to the said undertaking.

An Act for extending and for altering the line of the Manchester and Leeds Railway, and for making branches therefrom, and for amending the Acts relating thereto.

An Act for altering and extending the line of the Bristol and Gloucestershire Railway, and for amending the Acts relating thereto.

An Act for enabling the Slamannan Railway Company to raise a further sum of money.

An Act to enable the Wishaw and Coltness Railway Company to raise a further sum of money, and to amend the Acts relating to the said undertaking.

An Act to enable the Ballochney Railway Company to raise a further sum of money, and to amend the Acts relating to the said undertaking.

An Act for dissolving the Croydon, Merstham, and Godstone Iron Railway Company.

An Act to amend the several Acts relating to the Preston and Wyre Railway and Harbour Company, and the Preston and Wyre Dock Company, and to consolidate the said Companies.

An Act for making wet docks and other works at and near to Jarrow Slake, within the port of Newcastle-upon-Tyne, and in the county of Durham, to be called the Tync Docks.

An Act for enabling the Company of Proprietors of the Birmingham Canal Navigations to make a new cut, and for extending and altering some of the provisions of their present Act.

An Act to repeal so much of an Act, passed in the twelfth year of the reign of His Majesty King George the First, for repairing the walls, gates, and other public works in the city of Norwich, and several bridges in and near the said city ; and for amending the roads therein mentioned, as relates to the application of the tolls and duties thereby authorised to be raised, and to provide a new mode of application thereof.

An Act for paving, lighting, watching, and improving the town of Bradford, in the county of Wilts.

An Act for erecting, establishing, and maintaining a new market in the city of Aberdeen, and for providing suitable approaches thereto.

An Act for more effectually repairing and improving the road from Edenfield Chapel to Little Bolton, and certain branch roads connected therewith, all in the county palatine of Lancaster.

An Act to amend an Act, passed in the sixth year of His late Majesty King William the Fourth, for making a turnpike road from Saint Leonards and Saint Mary Magdalen to the Royal Oak Inn at Whatlington, and through Sedlescomb to Cripp's Corner, in the parish of Ewhurst, in the county of Sussex.

An Act for building a bridge over the River
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Leven, in the county of Fife; and otherwise improving the road from Boreland Loans to Scoonie-bridge.

An Act for more effectually maintaining and repairing the road leading from the west side of the entry to the New or Jamaica-street-bridge of Glasgow, by or near Parkhouse, to the east end of the bridge at Renfrew.

An Act for making and repairing several roads leading to and from the town of Southmolton, in the county of Devon.

And seventeen private Acts.

Westminster, July 4, 1839.

This day, the Lords being met, a message was sent to the Honourable House of Commons by the Gentleman Usher of the Black Rod, acquainting them, that *The Lords, authorised by virtue of a Commission under the Great Seal, signed by Her Majesty, for declaring Her Royal Assent to several Acts agreed upon by both Houses, do desire the immediate attendance of the Honourable House in the House of Peers to hear the Commission read; and the Commons being come thither, the said Commission, empowering the Lord Archbishop of Canterbury, the Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain, and several other Lords therein named, to declare and notify the Royal Assent to the said Acts, was read accordingly, and the Royal Assent given to*

An Act for granting to Her Majesty, until the fifth day of July one thousand eight hundred and forty, certain duties on sugar imported into the United Kingdom, for the service of the year one thousand eight hundred and thirty-nine.

An Act to enable justices of assize, on their circuits,
to

to take inquisitions of all pleas, in the Court of Exchequer of Pleas, which shall be brought before them, without a special commission for that purpose.

An Act for altering and amending certain Acts relating to the churches of Saint Mark, Saint Luke, and Saint Michael in the borough of Liverpool.

An Act for building a new gaol for the liberty or soke of Peterborough and hundred of Nassaburgh, in the county of Northampton, and for other purposes connected therewith.

An Act to enable the Manchester and Birmingham Railway Company to vary and extend the line of their railway, and to amend the Act relating thereto.

An Act to enable the Monkland and Kirkintilloch Railway Company to raise a further sum of money, and to amend the Acts relating to the said undertaking.

An Act for incorporating certain persons for the making and maintaining a railway from the township of Crook and Billy-row to the Byers-green branch of the Clarence Railway, in the parish of Saint Andrew Auckland, all in the county of Durham, to be called the West Durham Railway.

An Act for enlarging the town quay of the borough of Portsmouth, and for improving that portion of the harbour of Portsmouth called the Camber.

An Act for the improvement of the navigation of the River Moy, in the counties of Mayo and Sligo, in Ireland.

An Act for forming a canal and other works within and near certain lands, called the West Croft, in the parish of Saint Mary, in the town and county of the town of Nottingham.

An Act for amending and enlarging the powers of Acts for establishing a floating-bridge over the River Itchen, near the town of Southampton.

And two private Acts.

From

From the DUBLIN GAZETTE of Tuesday,
July 2, 1839.

Crown and Hanaper-Office, July 2, 1839.

IN pursuance of an Act, passed in the fortieth year of the reign of His Majesty King George the Third, intituled "An Act to regulate the mode by which the Lords Spiritual and Temporal, and the Commons, to serve in the Parliament of the United Kingdom, on the part of Ireland, shall be summoned and returned to the said Parliament," I hereby give notice, that Henry Baron Farnham has been chosen to be the Peer to sit and vote, on the part of Ireland, in the House of Lords of the United Kingdom, in the room of Dupré Earl of Caledon, deceased.

C. Fitz-Simon,
Clerk of the Crown and Hanaper.

Buckingham-Palace, July 4, 1839.

This day the Baron de Cetto, Envoy Extraordinary and Minister Plenipotentiary from the King of Bavaria, had an audience of Her Majesty, to take leave on going abroad *pro tempore*:

To which he was introduced by Lord Viscount Palmerston, Her Majesty's Principal Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, and conducted by the Master of the Ceremonies.

Downing-Street, July 3, 1839.

The Queen has been pleased to appoint Somerville William Harcourt Ramsbottom, Esq. to be Provost Marshal General of the Island of Grenada.

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Downing-Street, July 5, 1839.

The Queen has been pleased to appoint Edward Jackson, Esq. to be Attorney General of the Island of Trinidad.

Crown-Office, July 5, 1839.

Days and Places appointed for holding the Summer Assizes, 1839, viz.

HOME CIRCUIT.

The Right Honourable *Thomas Lord Denman*, Lord Chief Justice.

The Right Honourable Sir *Nicolas Conyngham Tindal*, Knt. Lord Chief Justice.

Hertfordshire, Thursday, July 11, at Hertford.

Essex, Monday, July 15, at Chelmsford.

Kent, Monday, July 22, at Maidstone.

Sussex, Monday, July 29, at Lewes.

Surrey, Monday, August 5, at Croydon.

MIDLAND CIRCUIT.

The Right Honourable *James Lord Abinger*, Lord Chief Baron.

Mr. Justice *Littledale*.

Northamptonshire, Monday, July 8, at Northampton.

Rutlandshire, Friday, July 12, at Oakham.

Lincolnshire, Saturday, July 13, at the Castle of Lincoln.

City of Lincoln, the same day, at the City of Lincoln.

Nottinghamshire, Thursday, July 18, at Nottingham.

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Town of Nottingham, the same day, at the *Town of Nottingham*.

Derbyshire, Saturday, July 20, at *Derby*.

Leicestershire, Wednesday, July 24, at the *Castle of Leicester*.

Borough of Leicester, the same day, at the *Borough of Leicester*.

City of Coventry, Saturday, July 27, at the *City of Coventry*.

Warwickshire, the same day, at *Warwick*.

NORFOLK CIRCUIT.

The Right Honourable Sir *John Vaughan*.

The Right Honourable Sir *John Bernard Bosanquet*.

Buckinghamshire, Monday, July 15, at *Buckingham*.

Bedfordshire, Thursday, July 18, at *Bedford*.

Huntingdonshire, Monday, July 22, at *Huntingdon*.

Cambridgeshire, Wednesday, July 24, at *Cambridge*.

Norfolk, Monday, July 29, at the *Castle of Norwich*.

City of Norwich, the same day, at the *Guildhall of the said City of Norwich*.

Suffolk, Saturday, August 3, at *Ipswich*.

OXFORD CIRCUIT.

Mr. Baron *Alderson*.

Mr. Justice *Williams*.

Berkshire, Monday, July 8, at *Abingdon*.

Oxfordshire, Wednesday, July 10, at *Oxford*.

Worcestershire, Saturday, July 13, at *Worcester*.

City of Worcester, the same day, at the *City of Worcester*.

Staffordshire, Thursday, July 18, at *Stafford*.

Shropshire, Wednesday, July 24, at *Shrewsbury*.

Herefordshire, Saturday, July 27, at *Hereford*.

Monmouthshire, Wednesday, July 31, at Monmouth.

Gloucestershire, Saturday, August 3, at Gloucester.
City of Gloucester, the same day, at the City of Gloucester.

WESTERN CIRCUIT.

Mr. Justice Coleridge.

The Right Honourable *Thomas Erskine*.

Southampton, Wednesday, July 10, at the Castle of Winchester.

Wiltshire, Tuesday, July 16, at Devizes.

Dorsetshire, Saturday, July 20, at Dorchester.

Devonshire, Thursday, July 25, at the Castle of Exeter.

City of Exeter, the same day, at the Guildhall of the said City of Exeter.

Cornwall, Thursday, August 1, at Bodmin.

Somersetshire, Thursday, August 8, at Bridgwater.

City of Bristol, Wednesday, August 14, at the Guildhall of the said City of Bristol.

NORTHERN CIRCUIT.

Mr. Justice Coltman.

Mr. Baron Maule.

Yorkshire, Thursday, July 11, at the Castle of York.

City of York, the same day, at the Guildhall of the said City of York.

Durham, Wednesday, July 24, at Durham.

Northumberland, Saturday, July 27, at the Castle of Newcastle-upon-Tyne.

Town of Newcastle-upon-Tyne, the same day, at the Guildhall of Newcastle-upon-Tyne.

Cumberland, Thursday, August 1, at Carlisle.

Westmorland, Tuesday, August 6, at Appleby.

Lancashire, Thursday, August 8, at Lancaster.

Lancashire, Tuesday, August 13, at Liverpool.

CIRCUIT of the PRINCIPALITY of WALES
and COUNTY PALATINE of CHESTER.

Mr. Justice *Patteson*.

Mr. Baron *Gurney*.

Glamorganshire, Tuesday, July 9, at Cardiff.

Carmarthenshire, Saturday, July 13, at Carmarthen.

Borough of Carmarthen, the same day, at the
Borough of Carmarthen.

Pembrokeshire, Monday, July 22, at Haverford-
west.

Town of Haverfordwest, the same day, at the Town
of Haverfordwest.

Cardiganshire, Monday, July 29, at Cardigan.

Brecknockshire, Thursday, August 1, at Brecon.

Radnorshire, Tuesday, August 6, at Presteign.

Montgomeryshire, Saturday, July 13, at Welch
Pool.

Merionethshire, Tuesday, July 23, at Dolgelly.

Carnarvonshire, Saturday, July 27, at Carnarvon.

Anglesey, Wednesday, July 31, at Beaumaris.

Denbighshire, Saturday, August 3, at Ruthin.

Flintshire, Wednesday, August 7, at Mold.

Cheshire, Saturday, August 10, at the Castle of
Chester.

FROM THE
LONDON GAZETTE of JULY 9,
1839.

Foreign-Office, July 3, 1839.

THE Queen has been graciously pleased to nominate and appoint Lord Harry Vane to be Secretary to Her Majesty's Legation at Stockholm.

Downing-Street, July 5, 1839.

The Queen has been pleased to appoint Lieutenant-General James Watson, Companion of the Most Honourable Military Order of the Bath, to be a Knight Commander of the said Order.

Lunæ, 8^o die Julii 1839.

Whereas at the last election for the borough of Ludlow, Thomas Alcock, Esq. was returned a Member to serve in Parliament for the said borough;

And whereas a petition, complaining of an undue election and return for the said borough, has been presented to the House of Commons, which said petition was appointed to be taken into consideration by the said House upon Tuesday the 16th day of July instant;

And whereas also the said Thomas Alcock, Esq. has this day informed the said House, by a de-
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claration in writing subscribed by him, and delivered in at the table of the said House, that it is not his intention to defend his said election or return, and, in consequence thereof, the consideration of the said petition has been deferred until Thursday the 22d day of August next, at three of the clock in the afternoon ;

Now I do hereby give this notice thereof, in pursuance of the directions of an Act, passed in the ninth year of the reign of King George the Fourth, intituled “ An Act to consolidate and amend the
“ laws relating to the trial of controverted elections
“ or returns of Members to serve in Parliament.”

Given under my hand this 8th day of July 1839,

CHARLES SHAW LEFEVRE, Speaker.

*Office of the Poor Law Commissioners,
Somerset-House, July 8, 1839.*

In pursuance of an Act, passed in the session of Parliament held in the fourth and fifth years of the reign of His late Majesty King William the Fourth, cap. 76, intituled “ An Act for the amendment and better administration of the laws relating to the poor in England and Wales,” this is to give notice, that the Poor Law Commissioners have appointed Edward Turner Boyd Twisleton, of the Inner-temple, Esq. Barrister at Law, to be an Assistant Commissioner of Poor Laws ; and that the said Edward Turner Boyd Twisleton, on the 3d day of July instant, took the oath required by the said Act, before the Honourable Mr. Justice Littledale, one of the Judges of Her Majesty’s Court of Queen’s Bench, at his chambers, in Rolls’-gardens, Chancery-lane.

Edwin Chadwick, Secretary.

FROM THE
LONDON GAZETTE of JULY 12,
 1839.

At the Court at *Buckingham-Palace*, the 11th day of
July 1839,

PRESENT,

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

HER Majesty having been pleased to appoint the Right Honourable John Earl of Scarborough to be Lord Lieutenant and Custos Rotulorum of the county of Nottingham, his Lordship this day took the Oaths appointed to be taken thereupon, instead of the Oaths of Allegiance and Supremacy.

At the Court at *Buckingham-Palace*, the 11th day of
July 1839,

PRESENT,

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS by an Act, passed in the session of Parliament holden in the third and fourth years of the reign of His late Majesty King William the Fourth, intituled " An Act to regulate the trade " of the British possessions abroad," it was, amongst other things, enacted, that no goods should be imported into, nor should any goods, except the produce

duce of the fisheries in British ships, be exported from, any of the British possessions in America, by sea, from or to any place other than the United Kingdom, or some other of such possessions, excepting to or from the several ports in such possessions called free ports, enumerated or described in the table in the said Act contained ; and it was thereby further enacted, that if any goods should be imported into any port or place in any of the said possessions, contrary to the said Act, such goods should be forfeited ; and it was thereby provided, that, if His Majesty should deem it expedient to extend the provisions of the said Act to any port or ports not enumerated in the said table, it should be lawful for His Majesty, by Order in Council, to extend the provisions of the said Act to such port or ports ; and that from and after the day mentioned in such Order in Council all the privileges and advantages of the said Act, and all the provisions, penalties, and forfeitures therein contained, subject, nevertheless, to the limitations and restrictions thereafter provided, should extend, and be deemed and construed to extend, to any such port or ports respectively as fully as if the same had been inserted and enumerated in the said table at the time of passing the said Act :

And it was thereby also enacted, that the several ports therein in that behalf mentioned, should be free warehousing ports for all the purposes of the said Act ; and that it should be lawful for His Majesty, by Order in Council, from time to time, to appoint any port in His Majesty's possessions in America to be a free warehousing port for all or any of the purposes of the said Act ; and that every port so appointed should be, for all the purposes expressed in such Order, a free warehousing port under the said Act, as if appointed by the same :

And whereas Her Majesty doth deem it expedient
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to extend the before-mentioned provisions of the said Act, respecting such free ports, to the ports of Digby and Arichat, in the province of Nova Scotia :

Now, therefore, under and by virtue of the said Act of Parliament, and in exercise of the powers in Her Majesty in Council in that behalf vested, Her Majesty, by and with the advice of Her Privy Council, doth order, and it is hereby ordered accordingly, that, from and after the eleventh day of September one thousand eight hundred and thirty-nine, the provisions of the said Act, as far as the same relate to the free ports respectively therein mentioned, shall be, and the same are hereby, extended to the ports of Digby and Arichat, in the province of Nova Scotia ; and that, from and after the said eleventh day of September one thousand eight hundred and thirty-nine, all the privileges and advantages of the said Act conferred upon the free ports therein-mentioned, and all the provisions, penalties, and forfeitures in the said Act contained, subject to the limitations and restrictions therein provided, shall extend to the said ports of Digby and Arichat as fully and effectually as if such ports had been inserted and enumerated in the said table at the time of passing the said Act :

And in further pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities in Her Majesty by the said Act in that behalf vested, Her Majesty, by and with the advice of Her Privy Council, doth order, and it is hereby ordered, that the ports of Digby and Arichat, in the province of Nova Scotia, hereinbefore appointed free ports as aforesaid, shall also, from and after the eleventh day of September one thousand eight hundred and thirty-nine, be free warehousing ports for all the purposes of the said Act :

And

And the Right Honourable the Lords Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury are to give the necessary directions herein accordingly.

Wm. L. Bathurst.

St. James's-Palace, July 10, 1839.

The Queen has been most graciously pleased to appoint John Kincaid, Esq. late Captain in the Rifle Brigade, to be one of Her Majesty's Honourable Corps of Gentlemen at Arms, without purchase, vice Woolley, deceased.

Downing-Street, July 11, 1839.

The Queen has been pleased to appoint Sir Charles Theophilus Metcalf, Bart. and G. C. B. to be Captain General and Governor in Chief of the Island of Jamaica, and the territories depending thereon.

FROM THE
LONDON GAZETTE of JULY 19,
 1839.

At the Court at *Buckingham-Palace*, the 11th day of
July 1839,

PRESENT,

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS by an Act, passed in the session of Parliament held in the sixth and seventh years of the reign of His late Majesty King William the Fourth, intituled "An Act for carrying into effect the reports of the Commissioners appointed to consider the state of the Established Church in England and Wales, with reference to ecclesiastical duties and revenues, so far as they relate to episcopal dioceses, revenues, and patronage," reciting, amongst other things, that His said late Majesty was pleased, on the fourth day of February, and on the sixth day of June, in the year one thousand eight hundred and thirty-five, to issue two several commissions to certain persons therein respectively named, directing them to consider the state of the several dioceses in England and Wales, with reference to the amount of their revenues, and the more equal distribution of episcopal duties, and the prevention of the necessity of attaching, by commendam, to bishoprics, benefices with cure of souls; and to consider also the state of the several cathedral and collegiate churches in England and Wales,

Wales, with a view to the suggestion of such measures as might render them conducive to the efficiency of the Established Church, and to devise the best mode of providing for the cure of souls, with special reference to the residence of the clergy on their respective benefices; and reciting, that the said Commissioners had, in pursuance of such directions, made four several reports to His said late Majesty, bearing date respectively the seventeenth day of March one thousand eight hundred and thirty-five, and the fourth day of March, the twentieth day of May, and the twenty-fourth day of June, one thousand eight hundred and thirty-six; and reciting, that the said Commissioners had in their said reports, amongst other things, recommended that commissioners should be appointed by Parliament for the purpose of preparing and laying before His Majesty in Council, such schemes as should appear to them to be best adapted for carrying into effect, amongst other things, the following recommendations; and that His Majesty in Council should be empowered to make Orders ratifying such schemes and having the full force of law; and that fit residences should be provided for the bishops of Lincoln, Llandaff, Rochester, Manchester, and Ripon:

It is enacted, amongst other things, that the Lord Archbishop of Canterbury for the time being, the Lord Archbishop of York, and the Lord Bishop of London for the time being, John Lord Bishop of Lincoln, James Henry Lord Bishop of Gloucester, the Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain, the Lord President of the Council, the Lord High Treasurer or the First Lord of the Treasury, and the Chancellor of the Exchequer for the time being respectively, and such one of His Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State as should be for that purpose nominated by His Majesty under His royal sign manual (such Lord

Chancellor, Lord President, Lord High Treasurer or First Lord of the Treasury, Chancellor of the Exchequer, and Secretary of State being respectively members of the United Church of Great Britain and Ireland), the Right Honourable Dudley Earl of Harrowby, the Right Honourable Henry Hobhouse, and the Right Honourable Sir Herbert Jenner, Knight, should, for the purposes of the said Act, be one body politic and corporate, by the name of "the Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England," and by that name should have perpetual succession and a common seal:

And it is further enacted, that the said Commissioners should, from time to time, prepare and lay before His Majesty in Council such schemes as should appear to the said Commissioners to be best adapted for carrying into effect the thereinbefore recited recommendations, and should in such schemes recommend and propose such measures as might, upon further inquiry, which the said Commissioners are thereby authorised to make, appear to them to be necessary for carrying such recommendations into full and perfect effect; provided always, that nothing therein contained should be construed to prevent the said Commissioners from proposing, in any such scheme, such modifications or variations, as to matters of detail and regulation, as should not be substantially repugnant to any or either of the said recommendations:

And it is further enacted, that when any scheme, prepared under the authority of the said Act, should be approved by His Majesty in Council, it should be lawful for His Majesty in Council to issue an Order or Orders ratifying the same, and specifying the time or times when such scheme, or the several parts thereof, should take effect, and to direct in every such Order that the same should be registered
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by the registrar of each of the dioceses the bishops whereof might or should be in any respect affected thereby :

And it is further enacted, that every such Order should, as soon as might be after the making and issuing thereof by His Majesty in Council, be inserted and published in the London Gazette.

And it is further enacted, that, so soon as any such Order in Council should be so registered and gazetted, it should in all respects, and as to all things therein contained, have and be of the same force and effect as if all and every part thereof were included in the said Act, any law, statute, canon, letters patent, grant, usage, or custom to the contrary notwithstanding :

And whereas the said Commissioners, pursuant to the authority vested in them by the said Act, have duly prepared and laid before Her Majesty in Council a scheme, bearing date the nineteenth day of June one thousand eight hundred and thirty-nine, in the words and figures following, that is to say :

“ To the Queen’s Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

“ We, the Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England, appointed and incorporated by an Act, passed in the session of Parliament held in the sixth and seventh years of the reign of His late Majesty King William the Fourth, intituled
 “ An Act for carrying into effect the reports
 “ of the Commissioners appointed to consider the
 “ state of the Established Church in England and
 “ Wales, with reference to ecclesiastical duties and
 “ revenues, so far as they relate to episcopal
 “ dioceses, revenues, and patronage,” have, in pursuance thereof, prepared, and now humbly lay before your Majesty in Council, the following scheme, towards carrying into effect the recommendation in the said Act contained, with respect
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to providing a fit residencee for the bishops of Ripon.

“ We humbly recommend and propose, that out of such monies as shall from time to time be standing to our credit and account in the Bank of England, being part of payments from the larger sees respectively for the purposes of the said Act, there shall be paid by us, to such persons, at such times, and in such manner as we shall deem expedient, such sum or sums of money, not exceeding in the aggregate the sum of ten thousand pounds, as may from time to time be necessary for and towards erecting and completing a certain house, offices, and out-buildings, in the township of North Stainley, in the parish and diocese of Ripon, which we have, under the authority of the said Act, lately caused to be commenced, and which are now in the course of erection; and that the said house, offices, and out-buildings shall, so soon as they shall be erected and completed, become and be the episcopal residence of the Right Reverend Charles Thomas Bishop of Ripon, and his successors bishops of Ripon, to be by them held and enjoyed in right of the see of Ripon for ever.

“ And we humbly recommend and propose, that nothing herein contained shall prevent us from recommending and proposing other measures relating to the bishopric of Ripon, in conformity with the provisions of the said Act.

“ All which we humbly recommend and propose to your Majesty in Council.

“ In witness whereof we have hereunto set our common seal, the nineteenth day of June one thousand eight hundred and thirty-nine.”

And whereas the said scheme has been approved by Her Majesty in Council; now, therefore, Her Majesty, by and with the advice of Her said Council, is pleased hereby to ratify the said scheme,
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and to order and direct that the same, and every part thereof, shall take effect immediately from and after the time when this Order shall have been registered as hereinafter directed, and shall have been duly published in the London Gazette, pursuant to the said Act; and Her Majesty, by and with the like advice, is pleased hereby to direct, that this Order be forthwith registered by the registrar of the diocese of Ripon.

Wm. L. Bathurst.

Buckingham-Palace, July 18, 1839.

This day had audience of Her Majesty:

The Count Bjornstjerna, Envoy Extraordinary and Minister Plenipotentiary from the King of Sweden and Norway, upon his return to this Court after a leave of absence;

And Count Mandelsloh, Envoy Extraordinary and Minister Plenipotentiary from the King of Wurtemberg, to deliver a letter from his Sovereign:

To which they were respectively introduced by Lord Viscount Palmerston, Her Majesty's Principal Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, and conducted by Sir Robert Chester, Knt. Master of the Ceremonies.

Downing-Street, July 18, 1839.

The Chaneellor of the Exchequer acknowledges the receipt of thirty pounds from A. Z.

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Crown-Office, July 19, 1839.

MEMBER returned to serve in this present
PARLIAMENT.

Borough of Ipswich.

Sir Thomas John Cochrane, K. C. B. in the room of
Thomas Milner Gibson, Esq. who has accepted
the Chiltern Hundreds.



FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of JULY 23,
1839.

Westminster, July 19, 1839.

THIS day, the Lords being met, a message was sent to the Honourable House of Commons by the Gentleman Usher of the Black Rod, acquainting them, that *The Lords, authorised by virtue of a Commission under the Great Seal, signed by Her Majesty, for declaring Her Royal Assent to several Acts agreed upon by both Houses, do desire the immediate attendance of the Honourable House in the House of Peers to hear the Commission read; and the Commons being come thither, the said Commission, empowering the Lord Archbishop of Canterbury, the Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain, and several other Lords therein named, to declare and notify the Royal Assent to*
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the said Acts, was read accordingly, and the Royal Assent given to

An Act to remove doubts as to the charging certain of the duties of Excise on glass.

An Act to repeal the duties and drawbacks of Excise on bricks, and to grant other duties and drawbacks in lieu thereof; and to consolidate and amend the laws for collecting and paying the said duties and drawbacks.

An Act to consolidate and amend the laws for collecting and securing the duties of Excise on paper made in the United Kingdom.

An Act to provide for the enactment of certain laws in the island of Jamaica.

An Act for apportioning the spiritual services of parishes in which two or more spiritual persons have cure of souls generally throughout the parish.

An Act for regulating the proceedings in the borough courts of England and Wales.

An Act for the better protection of parties dealing with persons liable to the bankrupt laws.

An Act for more equally assessing and levying watch rates in certain boroughs.

An Act to enable the Newport Dock Company to raise a further sum of money.

An Act to alter and amend the powers and provisions of an Act of the fifth year of the reign of His Majesty King William the Fourth for making and maintaining a pier and other works at Deptford, in the county of Kent.

An Act to alter and divert the line of the South Eastern Railway, from a point thereon in the parish of Chiddingstone, in the county of Kent, so as to join the London and Brighton Railway, at or near Redstone hill, in the parish of Reigate, in the county of Surrey.

An Act to amend and extend the powers of the Northern and Eastern Railway Act.

An Act to enable the Northern and Eastern Railway Company to alter the line of their railway, by forming a junction with the Eastern Counties Railway, and to provide a station and other works at Shoreditch ; and to amend the Act relating to the Northern and Eastern Railway.

An Act to alter and amend the powers and provisions of an Act for making a railway from the London and Greenwich Railway to the Deptford Pier, to be called the Deptford Pier Junction Railway.

An Act for better lighting with gas the village of Over Darwen, in the county palatine of Lancaster.

An Act for maintaining and regulating the market in the parish of Sidmouth, in the county of Devon.

An Act for forming and establishing the London Patent White Lead Company, and to enable the said Company to purchase certain letters patent.

An Act for forming and regulating a company, to be called the General Filtration and Dye Extract Company, and to enable the said Company to purchase certain letters patent.

An Act for extending and enlarging an Act, passed in the seventh year of His late Majesty King William the Fourth, for making and maintaining a turnpike road from Anniesland Toll-bar, in the county of Lanark, and for making and maintaining another branch road, to be called St. George's-road, in connection with said road.

And ten private Acts.

FROM THE
LONDON GAZETTE of JULY 26,
1839.

Whitehall, July 23, 1839.

THE Queen has been pleased to direct letters patent to be passed under the Great Seal, appointing Sir William Horne, Knt. to be one of the Masters in Ordinary of the High Court of Chancery, in the room of Henry Martin, Esq.

FROM THE
LONDON GAZETTE of JULY 30,
1839.

Buckingham-Palace, July 26, 1839.

THIS day had audience of Her Majesty, Monsieur Garro, Envoy Extraordinary and Minister Plenipotentiary from the Mexican Republic, to deliver a letter, and to take leave *pro tempore*:

To which he was introduced by Lord Viscount Palmerston, Her Majesty's Principal Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, and conducted by Sir Robert Chester, Knt. Master of the Ceremonies.

St. James's-Palace, July 12, 1839.

The Queen has been pleased to appoint the Countess of Sandwich, one of the Ladies of the Bedchamber to Her Majesty.

FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of AUGUST 2,
1839.

At the Court at *Buckingham-Palace*, the 31st day of
July 1839,

PRESENT,

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

HER Majesty having been pleased to appoint Sir Charles Theophilus Metcalf, Bart. and G.C.B. to be Captain General and Governor in Chief in and over the island of Jamaica, he this day took the usual Oath appointed to be taken by the Governors of Her Majesty's Plantations.

Westminster, July 29, 1839.

: This day, the Lords being met, a message was sent to the Honourable House of Commons by the Gentleman Usher of the Black Rod, acquainting them, that *The Lords, authorised by virtue of a Commission under the Great Seal, signed by Her Majesty, for declaring Her Royal Assent to several Acts agreed upon by both Houses, do desire the immediate attendance of the Honourable House in the House of Peers to hear the Commission read*; and the Commons being come thither, the said Commission, empowering the Lord Archbishop of Canterbury, the Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain, and several other Lords therein named, to declare and notify the Royal Assent to the said Acts, was read accordingly, and the Royal Assent given to

An Act to continue, for one year, compositions for Assessed Taxes, and to alter the period for the expiration of game certificates, and for granting licences to deal in game.

An Act to continue, until the end of the session of Parliament next after the thirty-first day of May one thousand eight hundred and forty-one, certain of the allowances of the duty of Excise on soap used in manufactures.

An Act to indemnify such persons in the United Kingdom as have omitted to qualify themselves for offices and employments, and for extending the time limited for those purposes respectively, until the twenty-fifth day of March one thousand eight hundred and forty, and for the relief of clerks to attornies and solicitors in certain cases.

An Act to regulate the duties to be performed by the Judges in the Supreme Courts of Scotland, and to increase the salaries of certain of the said Judges.

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An Act to confirm certain rules and orders of the Supreme Courts of Judicature at Fort William and Madras; and to empower the same Courts, and the Supreme Court of Judicature at Bombay, to make rules and orders concerning pleadings.

An Act to amend, and extend until the first day of January one thousand eight hundred and forty-two, the provisions of an Act of the first year of Her present Majesty, for exempting certain bills of exchange and promissory notes from the operation of the laws relating to usury.

An Act to continue, until the first day of June one thousand eight hundred and forty-one and to the end of the then next session of Parliament, the local turnpike Acts in England and Wales, which expire with this or the ensuing session of Parliament.

An Act for the more easy and speedy recovery of small debts and damages within the honor of Pontefract, parcel of Her Majesty's Duchy of Lancaster, in the west riding of the county of York, and for altering the practice and extending the jurisdiction of the court baron of the said honor.

An Act for the more easy and speedy recovery of small debts within the town of Aberford and other places, in the west riding of the county of York.

An Act for the more easy and speedy recovery of small debts within the town and manor of Glossop and other places, in the parish of Glossop, in the county of Derby.

An Act for the more easy and speedy recovery of small debts within the town or borough of Grantham, in the county of Lincoln, and other places, in the counties of Lincoln and Leicester.

An Act for the more easy and speedy recovery of small debts within the town of Rochdale and other places, in the county palatine of Lancaster.

An Act for the more easy and speedy recovery of small debts within the town of Rotherham and other places, in the west riding of the county of York.

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An Act for the more easy and speedy recovery of small debts within the town of Warrington and several other places adjacent thereto, in the counties of Lancaster and Chester.

An Act for altering, amending, consolidating, and enlarging the provisions of certain Acts relating to the regulation of buildings in the borough of Liverpool.

An Act for forming and regulating a Company, to be called the Ship Propeller Company, and to enable the said Company to purchase certain letters patent.

And four private Acts.

Buckingham-Palace, July 30, 1839.

This day had audience of Her Majesty :

Prince Alexander Mavrocordato, Envoy Extraordinary and Minister Plenipotentiary from the King of Greece, to deliver his credentials ;

And Baron de Gersdorff, Minister Resident from the King of Saxony, to take leave for a short time :

To which they were respectively introduced by Lord Viscount Palmerston, Her Majesty's Principal Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, and conducted by Sir Robert Chester, Knt. Master of the Ceremonies.

Crown-Office, August 1, 1839.

MEMBER returned to serve in this present
PARLIAMENT.

Borough of Aylesbury.

Charles John Baillie Hamilton, Esq. in the room of
Winthrop Mackworth Praed, Esq. deceased.

From

From the DUBLIN GAZETTE of Tuesday,
July 30, 1839.

ELECTION OF A TEMPORAL PEER OF IRELAND.

Crown and Hanaper-Office, July 30, 1839.

IN pursuance of an Act, passed in the fortieth year of the reign of His Majesty King George the Third, intituled "An Act to regulate the mode by which the Lords Spiritual and Temporal, and the Commons, to serve in the Parliament of the United Kingdom, on the part of Ireland, shall be summoned and returned to the said Parliament," I hereby give notice, that writs, bearing test this day, have issued for electing a Temporal Peer of Ireland, to succeed to the vacancy made by the demise of Richard Earl of Lucan, in the House of Lords of the said United Kingdom; which said writs are severally directed to the following Peers, who sat and voted in the House of Lords in Ireland before the Union, or whose right to vote on the election of Temporal Peers of Ireland hath, upon claims made on their behalf, been admitted since the Union by the House of Lords of the said United Kingdom; and that the said writs are ready to be delivered at this Office:

His Royal Highness Ernest Augustus Earl
of Armagh.

Augustus Frederick Duke of Leinster.

Henry De La Poer Marquess of Waterford.

Arthur Blundel Sandys Trumbull Marquess
of Downshire.

George Augustus Marquess of Donegal.

Richard Colly Marquess Wellesley.

William Marquess of Thomond.

Thomas Marquess of Headfort.

Howe

Howe Peter Marquess of Sligo.
 John Loftus Marquess of Ely.
 Charles William Vane Marquess of Londonderry.
 Francis Nathaniel Marquess Conyngham.
 George Thomas John Marquess of Westmeath.
 Ulick John Marquess of Clanricarde.
 John Earl of Waterford.
 Edmond Earl of Cork and Orrery.
 Michael James Robert Earl of Roscommon.
 John Chambré Earl of Meath.
 Arthur James Earl of Fingall.
 Frederick John William Earl of Cavan.
 Henry Earl of Kerry and Shelbourne.
 John James Earl of Egmont.
 Frederick Earl of Besborough.
 Henry Earl of Shannon.
 James Earl of Fife.
 John Delaval Earl of Tyrconnell.
 Philip York Earl of Arran.
 James Thomas Earl of Courtown.
 Joseph Earl of Milltown.
 Francis William Earl of Charlemont.
 John Earl of Mexborough.
 Thomas Earl of Howth.
 George Earl of Kingston.
 Robert Earl of Roden.
 Ernest Earl of Lisburn.
 Richard Plantagenet Earl Nugent.
 Stephen Earl of Mount Cashel.
 Edward Michael Earl of Longford.
 John Earl of Portarlington.
 John Earl of Mayo.
 John Willoughby Earl of Enniskillen.
 Edmond Earl of Kilkenny.
 George Earl of Mountnorris.
 William Forward Earl of Wicklow.
 John Henry Earl of Clonmel.

John Earl of Clare.
 Nathaniel Earl of Leitrim.
 Somerset Lowry Earl of Belmore.
 Charles Henry Earl O'Neill.
 James Earl of Bandon.
 Robert Earl of Castlestuart.
 John Hely Earl of Donoughmore.
 Valentine Earl of Kenmare.
 Edmond Henry Earl of Limerick.
 William Thomas Earl of Clancarty.
 Archibald Earl of Gosford.
 Lawrence Earl of Rosse.
 Welbore Ellis Earl of Normanton.
 Charles William Earl of Charleville.
 Richard Earl of Bantry.
 Richard Earl of Glengall.
 George Augustus Fredcrick Earl of Sheffield.
 Francis Jack Earl of Kilmorey.
 Henry Stanley Earl of Rathdown.
 Windham Henry Earl of Dunraven.
 William Earl of Listowel.
 Thomas Earl of Ranfurley.
 Jenico Viscount Gormanstown.
 George Child Viscount Grandison.
 Henry Charles Viscount Dillon.
 James Viscount Netterville.
 John Saville Lumley Viscount Lumley.
 Percy Clinton Sydney Viscount Strangford.
 Thomas Heron Viscount Ranelagh.
 James Viscount Strabane.
 Richard Pigot Viscount Molesworth.
 Richard Walter Viscount Chetwynd.
 Gustavus Viscount Boyne.
 William Keppel Viscount Barrington.
 George Edward Arundell Monckton Viscount
 Galway.
 Richard Viscount Powerscourt.
 Henry Jeffry Viscount Ashbrooke.
 Hervcy Viscount Mount-Morris.

Arthur Trever Viscount Dungannon.
 Thomas Anthony Viscount Southwell.
 John Viscount De Vesci.
 James Viscount Lifford.
 William Viscount Melbourne.
 Hayes Viscount Doneraile.
 John James Viscount Harberton.
 Cornwallis Viscount Hawarden.
 Thomas Henry Viscount Ferrard.
 Barry John Viscount Avonmore.
 John Henry Viscount Templetown.
 Cornelius Viscount Lismore.
 Robert Viscount Lorton.
 Lodge Redmond Viscount Frankfort De
 Montmorency.
 Charles Viscount Gort.
 Standish Viscount Guillamore.
 John Thomas Baron Trimlestown.
 Edward Wadding Baron Dunsany.
 Thomas Oliver Baron Louth.
 Cadwallader Davis Baron Blayney.
 Francis Charles Seymour Baron Conway and
 Killultagh.
 John Evans Baron Carberry.
 Mathew Whitworth Baron Aylmer.
 Henry Baron Farnham.
 Constantine Henry Baron Mulgrave.
 Charles George Baron Arden.
 Godfrey Baron Macdonald.
 William Baron Kensington.
 Edward Baron Rokeby.
 Mathew Fitzmaurice Baron Muskerry.
 Samuel Baron Hood.
 William Baron Riversdale.
 George Baron Auckland.
 John Cavendish Baron Kilmaine.
 Valentine Browne Baron Cloncurry.
 Robert Baron Clonbrock.
 Henry Cavendish Baron Waterpark.

Samuel Baron Bridport.
 George Augustus Henry Anne Baron Rancliffe.
 Warner William Baron Rossmore.
 Charles John Baron Teignmouth.
 Edward Baron Crofton.
 Charles Baron Ffrench.
 Hans Baron Dufferin and Claneboy.
 John Baron Henniker.
 Thomas Townsend Meredith Baron Ventry.
 George Baron Mountsandford.
 Henry Baron Dunally.
 Granville George Baron Radstock.
 Alan Legge Baron Gardner.
 George Baron Nugent.
 Frederick Baron Ashtown.
 Eyre Baron Clarina.
 John Baron Rendlesham.
 John Horsley Baron Decies.
 George Baron Garvagh.
 Ulysses Baron Downes.
 Benjamin Baron Bloomfield.
 William Vesey Baron Fitzgerald and Vesci.
 Richard Wogan Baron Talbot De Malahide.
 Robert Shapland Baron Carew.
 Dominick Baron Oranmore and Browne.

C. Fitz-Simon,
 Clerk of the Crown and Hanaper.

FROM THE
LONDON GAZETTE of *AUGUST 6*,
 1839.

At the Court at *Buckingham-Palace*, the 31st day of
July 1839,

PRESENT,

The *QUEEN*'s Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

THIS day the Right Honourable Sir Charles Theophilus Metcalf, Bart. G.C.B. was, by Her Majesty's command, sworn of Her Majesty's Most Honourable Privy Council, and took his place at the Board accordingly.

Downing-Street, August 5, 1839.

The Queen has been pleased to direct Letters Patent to pass the Great Seal of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, nominating the Reverend John Strachan, D.D. Archdeacon of York, to the Bishopric of Toronto, in the Province of Upper Canada.

Downing-Street, August 5, 1839.

The Queen has been pleased to direct Letters Patent to pass the Great Seal of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, nominating the Reverend Aubrey George Spencer, D. D. Archdeacon of Bermuda, to the Bishopric of Newfoundland.

War-Office, 16th May 1839.

MEMORANDUM.

Her Majesty has been graciously pleased to permit the 85th, or the King's Light Infantry Regiment, to resume on its colours and appointments, the motto, "*Aucto splendore resurgo*," which was authorised to be borne by that Regiment on the 3d August 1815.

FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of AUGUST 9,
1839.

Whitehall, August 7, 1839.

THE Queen has been pleased to direct letters patent to be passed under the Great Seal of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, conferring the honour of Knighthood upon Anthony Oliphant, Esq. Chief Justice of the Supreme Court at Ceylon.

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Whitehall, August 9, 1839.

The Queen has been pleased to grant unto Frederick-Thomas Pelham, Esq. (commonly called the Honourable Frederick-Thomas Pelham) a Commander in the Royal Navy, Her royal licence and permission, that he may accept and wear the laurelled cross of the National and Military Order of San Fernando, which the Queen Regent of Spain hath been pleased to confer upon him, in testimony of Her Catholic Majesty's royal approbation of his services on several occasions while commanding Her Majesty's sloop Tweed on the north coast of Spain; and that he may enjoy all the rights and privileges thereunto annexed; provided, nevertheless, that Her Majesty's said licence and permission doth not authorize the assumption of any style, appellation, rank, precedence, or privilege appertaining unto a Knight Bachelor of these realms:

And also to command, that Her Majesty's said concession and especial mark of Her royal favour be registered, together with the relative documents, in Her Majesty's College of Arms.

Whitehall, August 9, 1839.

The Queen has been pleased to grant unto Count Francis Rivarola, Major-General in the Army, Colonel of the Royal Malta Fencible Regiment, and Knight Commander of the Royal Hanoverian Guelphic Order, Her royal licence and permission, that he may accept and wear the insignia of a Commander of the Royal Sardinian Order of Saint Maurice and Lazare, which the King of Sardinia hath been pleased to confer upon him, in testimony of His Majesty's royal approbation of the military services rendered by him to the House
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of Savoy on several occasions; and that he may enjoy all the rights and privileges thereunto annexed; provided, nevertheless, that Her Majesty's said licence and permission doth not authorise the assumption of any style, appellation, rank, precedence, or privilege appertaining unto a Knight Bachelor of these realms:

And also to command, that Her Majesty's said concession and especial mark of Her royal favour be registered, together with the relative documents, in Her Majesty's College of Arms.

Whitehall, August 9, 1839.

The Queen has been pleased to grant unto Captain Benjamin Basil Shee, of the 47th Regiment of Native Infantry in the service of the East India Company, on the Madras Establishment, and Lieutenant-Colonel in Persia, Her royal licence and permission, that he may accept and wear the insignia of the Royal Persian Order of the Lion and Sun, of the first class, which the Shah of Persia hath been pleased to confer upon him, in testimony of His approbation of his services before the enemy while in the Persian army; and that he may enjoy all the rights and privileges thereunto annexed; provided, nevertheless, that Her Majesty's said licence and permission doth not authorise the assumption of any style, appellation, rank, precedence, or privilege appertaining unto a Knight Bachelor of these realms:

And also to command, that Her Majesty's said concession and especial mark of Her royal favour be registered, together with the relative documents, in Her Majesty's College of Arms.

FROM THE

**LONDON GAZETTE of AUGUST 13,
1839.**

Buckingham-Palace, August 10, 1839.

THIS day had audience of Her Majesty:

The Hereditary Grand Duke of Saxe-Weimar, to take leave;

Rechid Pacha, Ambassador from the Sublime Porte, to deliver a letter, notifying the accession of the Sultan;

M. Dedel, Envoy Extraordinary and Minister Plenipotentiary from the King of the Netherlands, on return from a leave of absence;

And the Count de Pollon, Envoy Extraordinary and Minister Plenipotentiary from the King of Sardinia and the Duke of Lucca, to take leave *pro tempore*:

To which audiences they were respectively introduced by Lord Viscount Palmerston, Her Majesty's Principal Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, and conducted by Sir Robert Chester, Knt. Master of the Ceremonies.

Downing-Street, August 12, 1839.

The Queen has been graciously pleased to nominate and appoint Lieutenant-General Sir John Keane, Knight Commander of the Most Honourable Military Order of the Bath, to be a Knight Grand Cross of the said Order.

Whitehall, August 12, 1839.

The Queen has been pleased to grant unto John Grey, Esq. Major-General in the Army, and Companion of the Most Honourable Military Order of the Bath, Her royal licence and permission, that he may accept and wear the insignia of a Knight of the Royal Portuguese Military Order of the Tower and Sword, and of a Knight Commander of that of St. Bento d'Avis, which have been conferred upon that Officer, in approbation of his conduct during the Peninsular war, especially in the action of El Bodon, on the 25th of September 1811; and that he may enjoy all the rights and privileges thereunto annexed; provided, nevertheless, that Her Majesty's said licence and permission doth not authorise the assumption of any style, appellation, rank, precedence, or privilege appertaining unto a Knight Bachelor of these realms :

And also to command, that Her Majesty's said concession and especial mark of Her royal favour be registered, together with the relative documents, in Her Majesty's College of Arms.

FROM THE
LONDON GAZETTE of AUGUST 20,
1839.

Westminster, August 17, 1839.

THIS day, the Lords being met, a message was sent to the Honourable House of Commons by the Gentleman Usher of the Black Rod, acquainting them, that *The Lords, authorised by virtue of a Commission under the Great Seal, signed by Her Majesty, for declaring Her Royal Assent to several Acts agreed upon by both Houses, do desire the immediate attendance of the Honourable House in the House of Peers to hear the Commission read*; and the Commons being come thither, the said Commission, empowering the Lord Archbishop of Canterbury, the Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain, and several other Lords therein named, to declare and notify the Royal Assent to the said Acts, was read accordingly, and the Royal Assent given to

An Act to amend an Act, of the last session of Parliament, for making temporary provision for the Government of Lower Canada.

An Act to suspend, until the first day of August one thousand eight hundred and forty, certain cathedral and other ecclesiastical preferments, and the operation of the new arrangement of dioceses upon the existing Ecclesiastical Courts.

An Act to make better provision for the assign-
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ment of ecclesiastical districts to churches or chapels augmented by the Governors of the Bounty of Queen Anne; and for other purposes.

An Act to amend the jurisdiction for the trial of election petitions.

An Act for the further regulation of the duties on postage, until the fifth day of October one thousand eight hundred and forty.

An Act to continue, until six months after the commencement of the next session of Parliament, an Act of the last session of Parliament, for authorizing Her Majesty to carry into immediate execution, by Orders in Council, any treaties for the suppression of the slave trade.

An Act for the better ordering of prisons.

An Act to regulate the payment and assignment, in certain cases, of pensions granted for service in Her Majesty's army, navy, royal marines; and ordnance.

An Act to make further provision for the administration of justice, and for improving the practice and proceedings, in the Courts of the Stannaries of Cornwall; and for the prevention of frauds by workmen employed in mines within the county of Cornwall.

An Act to amend the law relating to the custody of infants.

An Act to amend an Act passed in the last session of Parliament, for abolishing arrest on mesne process in civil actions except in certain cases, for extending the remedies of creditors against the property of debtors, and for amending the laws for the relief of insolvent debtors in England.

An Act for further improving the police in and near the metropolis.

An Act to suspend until the end of the next session of Parliament, the making of lists and the ballots and enrolments for the militia of the United Kingdom.

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An Act to explain and amend the Acts for the commutation of tythes in England and Wales.

An Act for taking away the exemption, except in certain cases, of officers of militia to serve as sheriff.

An Act to explain and extend the provisions of an Act, passed in the first year of His late Majesty King William the Fourth, intituled "An Act for consolidating and amending the laws for facilitating the payment of debts out of real estate."

An Act to improve prisons and prison discipline in Scotland.

An Act for regulating the sequestration of the estates of bankrupts in Scotland

An Act to amend two Acts of the third and fourth and fourth and fifth years of His late Majesty King William the Fourth, for consolidating and amending the laws relative to jurors and juries in Ireland.

An Act to extend and amend the provisions of the Acts for the extension and promotion of public works in Ireland, and for the recovery of public moneys advanced for the use of counties, parishes, and other districts in Ireland, on the faith of grand jury presentments and parochial assessments.

An Act for the improvement of the navigation of the River Shannon.

An Act to amend an Act of the fifth and sixth years of the reign of His late Majesty King William the Fourth, relating to highways.

An Act for procuring returns relative to the highways and turnpike roads in England and Wales.

An Act to authorise the trustees of turnpike roads to reduce the scale of tolls payable for overweight.

An Act to prevent, until the end of the next session of Parliament, ships clearing out from a British North American port loading any part of their cargo of timber upon deck.

An Act for regulating the police in the city of London.

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An Act for extending the line of the railway between London and Blackwall, called the Commercial Railway, and for amending the Acts relating thereto.

An Act for establishing a general cemetery for the interment of the dead in the parish of Brighton, in the county of Sussex.

An Act for the more speedy recovery of small debts within the manor of Hatfield and other places, in the west riding of the county of York.

An Act for the more easy and speedy recovery of small debts within the town of Belper and several other places, in the county of Derby.

An Act for the more easy and speedy recovery of small debts within the borough of Newark and other places, in the counties of Nottingham and Lincoln.

An Act for the more easy recovery of small debts within the parishes of Prestwich cum Oldham and Middleton, in the county of Lancaster.

An Act for the more easy and speedy recovery of small debts within the town of Bury, and other places therein mentioned, in the county of Lancaster.

An Act for the more easy and speedy recovery of small debts within the parish of Wirksworth, and other parishes and places adjacent or near thereto, in the several counties of Derby and Stafford.

An Act for the more easy and speedy recovery of small debts within the parish of Eckington, and other places, in the county of Derby.

An Act for the more easy and speedy recovery of small debts within the borough and parish of Chesterfield, and other parishes and places adjacent or near thereto, in the county of Derby.

An Act for the more easy and speedy recovery of small debts within the town and county of the town of Nottingham, and other places therein mentioned, in the counties of Nottingham and Derby.

FROM THE
LONDON GAZETTE of AUGUST 23,
1839.

Crown-Office, August 21, 1839.

MEMBER returned to serve in this present
PARLIAMENT.

Town or Burgh of Perth.

David Greig, Esq. Lord Provost of the city of
Perth, in the room of the Honourable Arthur
Fitzgerald Kinnaird, who has accepted the
Chiltern Hundreds.

FROM THE
SUPPLEMENT

TO THE

LONDON GAZETTE of AUGUST 23,
1839.

*Lord Great Chamberlain's-Office, House of Lords,
August 24, 1839.*

ALL Peeresses, on announcing their intention of being present on the occasion of Her Majesty proroguing Parliament, on Tuesday the 27th of August instant, will have places reserved for them in the House of Peers, if the announcement be made at this Office, before five o'clock on Monday the 26th of August.

No Lady can be admitted into the body of the House, except in full dress.

No strangers will be admitted, except by a ticket from the Lord Great Chamberlain.

The doors will be opened at twelve o'clock.

(Signed) WILLOUGHBY D'ERESBY, G. C.

FROM THE
LONDON GAZETTE of **AUGUST 27,**
 1839.

At the Court at *Buckingham-Palace*, the 26th day of
August 1839,

PRESENT,

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

THIS day the Right Honourable Francis Thornhill Baring was, by Her Majesty's command, sworn of Her Majesty's Most Honourable Privy Council, and took his place at the Board accordingly.

At the Court at *Buckingham-Palace*, the 26th day of
August 1839,

PRESENT,

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

HER Majesty having been pleased to appoint the Most Noble George Granville Duke of Sutherland, Lord Lieutenant and Custos Rotulorum of the county of Salop, his Grace this day took the Oaths appointed to be taken thereupon, instead of the Oaths of Allegiance and Supremacy.

Westminster, August 24, 1839.

THIS day, the Lords being met, a message was sent to the Honourable House of Commons by the Gentleman Usher of the Black Rod, acquainting them, that *The Lords, authorised by virtue of a Commission under the Great Seal, signed by Her Majesty, for declaring Her Royal Assent to several Acts agreed upon by both Houses, do desire the immediate attendance of the Honourable House in the House of Peers to hear the Commission read*; and the Commons being come thither, the said Commission, empowering the Lord Archbishop of Canterbury, the Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain, and several other Lords therein named, to declare and notify the Royal Assent to the said Acts, was read accordingly, and the Royal Assent given to

An Act to remove doubts as to the charging the duty of Excise on hard soap, until the eleventh day of October one thousand eight hundred and forty.

An Act to defray the charge of the pay, clothing, and contingent and other expences of the disembodied militia in Great Britain and Ireland, and to grant allowances, in certain cases, to subaltern officers, adjutants, paymasters, quartermasters, surgeons, assistant-surgeons, surgeons'-mates, and serjeant-majors of the militia, until the first day of July one thousand eight hundred and forty.

An Act for the better suppression of the slave trade.

An Act to amend an Act, of the ninth year of King George the Fourth, to provide for the administration of justice in New South Wales and Van Diemen's Land, and for the more effectual Government thereof, and for other purposes relating thereto; and to continue the same until the thirty-first

first day of December one thousand eight hundred and forty, and thenceforward to the end of the then next session of Parliament.

An Act for regulating the police courts in the metropolis.

An Act to empower the Commissioners of Her Majesty's Woods, Forests, Land Revenues, Works, and Buildings, to raise a sum of money for making additional thoroughfares in the metropolis.

An Act for enabling justices of assize and nisi prius, oyer and terminer, and gaol delivery, to hold courts for counties at large in adjoining counties of cities and towns, and conversely.

An Act to authorize the purchase or building of lodgings for the judges of assize on their circuits.

An Act to authorize, for one year, and from thence to the end of the then next session of Parliament, the application of a portion of the highway rates to turnpike roads, in certain cases.

An Act to reduce certain of the duties now payable on stage carriages.

An Act to amend an Act, of the fifth and sixth years of the reign of King William the Fourth, intituled "An Act to amend the law touching letters patent for inventions."

An Act to continue, until the thirty-first day of August one thousand eight hundred and forty, an Act, of the first and second years of Her present Majesty, relating to legal proceedings by certain joint stock banking companies against their own members, and by such members against the companies.

An Act to amend the mode of assessing the rogue money in Scotland, and to extend the purposes of such assessment.

An Act to make further provisions relating to the police in the district of Dublin metropolis.

: An Act for the better prevention and punishment of assaults, in Ireland, for five years.

An Act for the better regulation of the constabulary force in Ireland.

An Act to extend and render more effectual, for five years, an Act, passed in the fourth year of His late Majesty George the Fourth, to amend an Act, passed in the fiftieth year of His Majesty George the Third, for preventing the administering and taking unlawful oaths in Ireland.

An Act to restrain the alienation of corporate property, in certain towns in Ireland, until the first day of September one thousand eight hundred and forty.

An Act for the better prevention of the sale of spirits by unlicenced persons in Ireland.

Buckingham-Palace, August 26, 1839.

This day had audience of Her Majesty :

His Royal Highness Prince Paul of Wurtemberg;

The Baron Münchhausen, Envoy Extraordinary and Minister Plenipotentiary from the King of Hanover, to take leave on going abroad for a few months;

And General Alava, Envoy Extraordinary and Minister Plenipotentiary from the Queen of Spain, to deliver a letter from his Sovereign :

To which audiences they were respectively introduced by Lord Viscount Palmerston, Her Majesty's Principal Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, and conducted by Sir Robert Chester, Knt. Master of the Ceremonies.

Whitehall, August 26, 1839.

The Queen has been pleased to direct letters patent to be passed under the Great Seal, granting to the Right Honourable Francis Thornhill Baring the Offices of Chancellor and Under Treasurer of Her Majesty's Exchequer.

Whitehall, August 27, 1839.

The Queen has been pleased to direct letters patent to be passed under the Great Seal, granting the dignity of a Baron of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, unto the Right Honourable Thomas Spring Rice, and the heirs male of his body lawfully begotten, by the name, stile, and title of Baron Monteagle, of Brandon, in the county of Kerry.

FROM THE
LONDON GAZETTE of AUGUST 30,
 1839.

Buckingham-Palace, August 27, 1839.

THIS day Her Majesty proceeded in state from Buckingham-Palace to the House of Peers, where she arrived soon after two o'clock; and was received, on alighting from her state coach, by the Lord Chancellor, the Lord President of the Council, the Lord Privy Seal, the Marquess of Normanby, officiating for the Lord Great Chamberlain, the Earl Marshal, the Lord Steward of the Household, the Lord Viscount Melbourne, Garter King of Arms, and the Gentleman Usher of the Black Rod, and proceeded to the robing-room in the customary manner.

Her Majesty was there robed, and, having put on the imperial crown, the procession moved into the House in the usual order;—the sword of state was borne by the Lord Viscount Melbourne, and the cap of maintenance by the Earl of Shaftesbury, in the absence of the Marquess of Winchester.

Her Majesty being seated on the Throne, the Great Officers of State and others standing on the right and left, Sir Augustus Clifford, Bart. Gentleman Usher of the Black Rod, was sent with a message from Her Majesty to the House of Commons, commanding their attendance in the House of Peers. The Commons being come thither accord-

cordingly, Her Majesty was pleased to deliver the following most gracious Speech to both Houses of Parliament:

My Lords, and Gentlemen,

THE public business having been brought to a close, I have now to perform the satisfactory duty of releasing you from your long and laborious attendance in Parliament.

I rejoice that a Definitive Treaty between Holland and Belgium, negotiated by the mediation of the Five Powers, has settled the differences between those two countries, and has secured the peace of Europe from dangers to which it had so long been exposed. The same concord which brought these intricate questions to a peaceful termination prevails, with regard to the affairs of the Levant. The Five Powers are alike determined to uphold the independence and integrity of the Ottoman empire; and I trust that this union will ensure a satisfactory settlement of matters which are of the deepest importance to the whole of Europe.

It has afforded Me the sincerest pleasure to have been able to assist in effecting a reconciliation between France and Mexico. Intent upon preserving for My subjects the blessings of peace, I am highly gratified when I can avail Myself of an opportunity of removing misunderstandings between other Powers.

I have recently concluded with the King of the French a Convention, calculated to put an end to differences which have arisen of late years between the fishermen of Great Britain and France. This Convention, by removing causes of dispute, will tend to cement the union between the two countries, which is so advantageous to both, and so conducive to the general interests of Europe.

I shall continue to pursue with perseverance the negotiations in which I am engaged, to persuade all
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the Powers of Christendom to unite in a general league for the entire extinction of the slave trade; and I trust that, with the blessing of Providence, My efforts in so righteous a cause will be rewarded with success.

I regret that the differences which led to the withdrawal of My Minister from the Court of Tehran have not yet been satisfactorily adjusted by the Government of Persia.

In order to fulfil the engagements announced to you at the opening of the present session, the Governor General of India has moved an army across the Indus; and I have much satisfaction in being able to inform you, that the advance of that expedition has been hitherto unopposed; and there is every reason to hope, that the important objects for which these military operations have been undertaken will be finally obtained.

I have observed with much approbation the attention which you have bestowed upon the internal state and condition of the country. I entirely concur in the measures which you have framed for the preservation of order, the repression of crime, and the better administration of justice in this metropolis; and I have given a cordial assent to the Bills which you have presented to Me, for the establishment of a more efficient constabulary force in those towns which peculiarly required it, and for effecting the important objects of generally extending the civil power throughout the country.

Gentlemen of the House of Commons,

I thank you for the zeal and readiness with which you have voted the supplies for the service of the year.

It has been with satisfaction that I have given My consent to a reduction of the postage duties. I trust that the Act which has passed on this subject will be a relief and encouragement to trade; and
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that, by facilitating intercourse and correspondence, it will be productive of much social advantage and improvement. I have given directions that the preliminary steps should be taken to give effect to the intention of Parliament, as soon as the inquiries and arrangements required for this purpose shall have been completed.

The advantageous terms upon which a considerable amount of the Unfunded Debt has been converted into Stock, afford a satisfactory proof of the reliance placed on the credit and resources of the country, as well as on your determination to preserve inviolate the National Faith.

My Lords, and Gentlemen,

It is with great pain that I have found Myself compelled to enforce the law against those who no longer concealed their design of resisting by force the lawful authorities, and of subverting the institutions of the country. The solemn proceedings of courts of justice, and the fearless administration of the law by all who are engaged in that duty, have checked the first attempts at insubordination; and I rely securely upon the good sense of My people, and upon their attachment to the Constitution, for the maintenance of law and order, which are as necessary for the protection of the poor, as for the welfare of the wealthier classes of the community.

Then the Lord Chancellor, by Her Majesty's command, said:

My Lords, and Gentlemen,

It is Her Majesty's royal will and pleasure, that this Parliament be prorogued to Thursday the 24th day of October next, to be then here holden; and this Parliament is accordingly prorogued to Thursday the 24th day of October next.

At the Court at *Buckingham-Palace*, the 29th day of
August 1839,

PRESENT,

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

THIS day the Right Honourable Richard Lalor Sheil was, by Her Majesty's command, sworn of Her Majesty's Most Honourable Privy Council, and took his place at the Board accordingly.

At the Court at *Buckingham-Palace*, the 29th day of
August 1839,

PRESENT,

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

HER Majesty in Council was this day pleased to appoint the Right Honourable Henry Labouchere and, in his absence, the Right Honourable Richard Lalor Sheil, President of the Committee of Privy Council appointed for the consideration of all matters relating to Trade and Foreign Plantations.

At the Court at *Buckingham-Palace*, the 29th day of
August 1839,

PRESENT,

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

HER Majesty having been pleased to appoint the Right Honourable Charles Poulett Thomson, Governor-General and Captain-General of all Her
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Majesty's provinces on the Continent of North America, and of the Island of Prince Edward, he this day took the usual Oath appointed to be taken by the Governors of Her Majesty's Plantations.

At the Court at *Buckingham-Palace*, the 26th day of
August 1839,

PRESENT,

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS by an Act, passed in the seventh year of the reign of His late Majesty King William the Fourth, intituled "An Act for rendering more easy the taking the poll at county elections," it was enacted, that it should be lawful for His Majesty, by and with the advice of His Privy Council, from time to time, on petition from the justices of any county, riding, parts, or division in England or Wales, in quarter sessions assembled, representing, that the number of polling places for such county, riding, parts, or division is insufficient, and praying, that the place or places mentioned in the said petition might be a polling place or polling places for the county, riding, parts or division of the county within which such place or places is or are situate, to declare that any place or places mentioned in the said petition should be a polling place or polling places for that county, riding, parts, or division; and that the justices of the peace for such county, riding, parts, or division, in quarter sessions or some special sessions assembled, as mentioned in the Act, passed in the third year of the reign of His said late Majesty, intituled "An Act to settle and determine the division of counties, and the limits of cities and boroughs, in England and Wales, in so far as respects the election of

“Members to serve in Parliament,” should, conformably to the said last-mentioned Act, divide such county, riding, parts, or division into convenient polling districts, and assign one of such districts to each polling place :

And whereas the justices of the peace of the county of Wilts, assembled at the general quarter sessions of the peace held at Warminster, in and for the said county of Wilts, on the second day of July one thousand eight hundred and thirty-nine, have presented their petition to Her Majesty, representing that the number of polling places for the northern division of the said county is insufficient, and therefore praying, that the town of Chippenham may be a polling place for the said northern division :

Now, therefore, Her Majesty, having taken the said petition into consideration, doth, pursuant to the said Act of the seventh year of His late Majesty's reign, by and with the advice of Her Privy Council, declare, order, and direct, that the said town of Chippenham shall be a polling place for the said northern division ; and further, that the justices of the peace for the said county, assembled in quarter sessions or some special sessions, as mentioned in the said Act of the third year of His late Majesty's reign, shall, conformably to the said last-mentioned Act, divide the said northern division into convenient polling districts, and assign one of such districts to each polling place.

C. C. Greville.

At the Court at *Buckingham-Palace*, the 26th day of
August 1839,

PRESENT,

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS by an Act, passed in the session of Parliament holden in the third and fourth years of the reign of His late Majesty King William the Fourth, intituled " An Act to regulate the trade " of the British possessions abroad," it was, amongst other things, enacted, that no goods should be imported into, nor should any goods, except the produce of the fisheries in British ships, be exported from, any of the British possessions in America, by sea, from or to any place other than the United Kingdom, or some other of such possessions, excepting to or from the several ports in such possessions called free ports, enumerated or described in the table in the said Act contained ; and it was thereby further enacted, that if any goods should be imported into any port or place in any of the said possessions, contrary to the said Act, such goods should be forfeited ; and it was thereby provided, that, if His Majesty should deem it expedient to extend the provisions of the said Act to any port or ports not enumerated in the said table, it should be lawful for His Majesty, by Order in Council, to extend the provisions of the said Act to such port or ports ; and that from and after the day mentioned in such Order in Council all the privileges and advantages of the said Act, and all the provisions, penalties, and forfeitures therein contained, subject, nevertheless, to the limitations and restrictions thereafter provided, should extend, and be deemed and construed to extend, to any such port or ports respectively as fully as if the same had been
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inserted and enumerated in the said table at the time of passing the said Act :

And it was thereby also enacted, that the several ports therein in that behalf mentioned, should be free warehousing ports for all the purposes of the said Act ; and that it should be lawful for His Majesty, by Order in Council, from time to time, to appoint any port in His Majesty's possessions in America to be a free warehousing port for all or any of the purposes of the said Act ; and that every port so appointed should be, for all the purposes expressed in such Order, a free warehousing port under the said Act, as if appointed by the same :

And whereas Her Majesty doth deem it expedient to extend the before-mentioned provisions of the said Act, respecting such free ports, to the port of George Town, Demerara, in the colony of British Guiana :

Now, therefore, under and by virtue of the said Act of Parliament, and in exercise of the powers in Her Majesty in Council in that behalf vested, Her Majesty, by and with the advice of Her Privy Council, doth order, and it is hereby ordered accordingly, that, from and after the twenty-sixth day of October one thousand eight hundred and thirty-nine, the provisions of the said Act, as far as the same relate to the free ports respectively therein mentioned, shall be, and the same are hereby, extended to the port of George Town, Demerara, in the colony of British Guiana ; and that, from and after the said twenty-sixth day of October one thousand eight hundred and thirty-nine, all the privileges and advantages of the said Act conferred upon the free ports therein-mentioned, and all the provisions, penalties, and forfeitures in the said Act contained, subject to the limitations and restrictions therein provided, shall extend to the said port of George Town as fully and effectually as if such port had been inserted and enumerated

rated in the said table at the time of passing the said Act:

And in further pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities in Her Majesty by the said Act in that behalf vested, Her Majesty, by and with the advice of Her Privy Council, doth order, and it is hereby ordered, that the port of George Town, Demerara, in the colony of British Guiana, herein appointed a free port as afore-said, shall also, from and after the twenty-sixth day of October one thousand eight hundred and thirty-nine, be a free warehousing port for all the purposes of the said Act:

And the Right Honourable the Lords Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury are to give the necessary directions herein accordingly.

C. C. Greville.

India Board, August 29, 1839.

A DISPATCH has been received at the East India-house, from the Governor in Council of Bombay, of which the following is an extract:

WE avail ourselves of the departure of the East India Company's steamer *Berenice*, for the Persian Gulf, to transmit to the Honourable the Secret Committee our latest intelligence up to this date.

Private letters have been received from Candahar up to the 20th of May, and the intelligence they communicate is satisfactory.

His Majesty, Shah Shooja-ool-Moolk, was crowned on the 8th of May, and we have the honour to enclose, in this dispatch, copies of three General Orders, issued on the occasion, by his Excellency Lieutenant General Sir John Keane. We have not obtained these officially, but we have no doubt of their authenticity.

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A force, under command of Brigadier Sale, having been detached against Gerishk, that place was occupied, without opposition, on the 15th of May, the Sirdars of Candahar having decamped before the Brigadier's arrival.

The troops were generally healthy, and provisions, though still scarce, were becoming more plentiful. It was anticipated that the army would be able to commence its march on Cabool about the 10th of June, its movement before the above date being delayed on account of a large convoy of treasure and supplies expected from Shikarpore.

It was generally believed, in camp, that the native portion of the Bombay division of the Army of the Indus would remain at Candahar; and that the European portion would proceed to Ghiznee; and that, after reaching this place, the whole of the Bengal division would march on Cabool. No authentic intelligence had been obtained of the intention of Dort Mahomed; but there is good reason to believe that he has already been deserted by many of his chiefs and followers.

The intelligence of the state of affairs at Herat continues satisfactory. A mission, under the guidance of Major Todd, was about to be deputed to that place, with presents from the Right Honourable the Governor General of India to Shah Kamran; several officers of the Engineers and Artillery are to accompany the mission, for the purpose of improving the fortifications of Herat; but we do not understand that it is considered necessary to send any portion of our army, now in Affghanistan, to that place.

GENERAL ORDERS.

Head-Quarters, Camp, Candahar, May 4.

THE combined forces of Bengal and Bombay being now assembled at Candahar, the Commander in Chief congratulates all ranks on the triumphant, though arduous, march which they have accomplished, from distant and distinct parts of India, with a regularity and discipline which is much appreciated by him, and reflects upon themselves the highest credit. The difficulties which have been surmounted have been of no ordinary nature, and the recollection of what has been overcome must hereafter be a pleasing reflection to those concerned, who have so zealously, and in so soldier-like a manner, contributed to effect them, so as to arrive at the desired end. The engineers had to make roads, and, occasionally, in some extraordinary steep mountain passes, over which no wheeled carriage had ever passed. This was a work requiring science and much severe labour; but so well has it been done that the progress of the army was in no way impeded. The heavy and light ordnance were alike taken over in safety, by the exertions and good spirit of the artillery, in which they were most cheerfully and ably assisted by the troops, both European and native, and in a manner which gave the whole proceeding the appearance that each man was working for a favourite object of his own.

2. His Excellency shares in the satisfaction which the troops must feel (after the difficult task they have accomplished, and the trying circumstances under which they have been placed, the nature of which is well known to themselves, and therefore unnecessary for him to detail) at knowing the enthusiasm with which the population of Candahar have received and welcomed the return of their lawful Sovereign, Shah

Shooja-ool-Moolk, to the throne of his ancestors in Affghanistan. Sir John Keane will not fail to report to the Right Honourable Lord Auckland, Governor-General of India, his admiration of the conduct and discipline of the troops, by which means it has been easy to effect and to fulfil the plans of his Lordship in the operations of the campaign hitherto.

3. The Commander-in-Chief has already, in a general order, dated the 6th ultimo, expressed his acknowledgments to Major-General Sir Willoughby Cotton, for the creditable and judicious manner in which he conducted the Bengal column to the valley of Shawl. His Excellency has now a pleasing duty to perform, in requesting Major-General Wilshire, commanding the Bombay column, to accept his best thanks for his successful exertions in bringing the troops of that presidency to this ground in the most efficient and soldier-like state.

4. The Commander-in-Chief entertains a confident expectation that the same orderly conduct which has gained for the troops the goodwill of the inhabitants of the states and countries through which they have passed, will continue to be observed by them during their advance upon Cabool, when the proper time for the adoption of that step shall have been decided upon by his Excellency, in concert with his Majesty Shah Shooja-ool-Moolk, and the Envoy and Minister W. H. Macnaghten, Esq., representing British interests at the Court of the King of Affghanistan.

May 5.

On the occasion of His Majesty Shah Shooja-ool-Moolk taking possession of his throne, and receiving the homage of his people at Candahar, the following ceremonial will be observed :—

The whole of the troops now at head-quarters will be formed in review order at daylight in the morning of the 8th instant, on ground which will be pointed

pointed out to Assistant Adjutants General of Divisions to-morrow afternoon, at five o'clock, by the Deputy Adjutant General of the Bengal army.

The troops will take up their ground in the following order from the right :

Bengal.—Horse artillery, cavalry brigade, camel battery, 1st brigade of infantry, 4th brigade of infantry.

Bombay.—Horse artillery, cavalry brigade, infantry brigade.

The 4th local horse will take up a position in front of the right flank, and the Poonah auxiliary horse in front of the left flank, for the purpose of keeping the space in advance of the troops clear of the populace.

A platform will be erected for His Majesty Shah Shooja-ool-Moolk in front of the centre of the line, on either flank of which detachments of His Majesty's cavalry will take post to prevent the intrusion of the populace.

Captain Lloyd's battery of Bombay artillery will be stationed at the Edgah gate of the town, and will fire a royal salute as His Majesty passes.

The troops of His Majesty Shah Shooja will be drawn up in the street in the most convenient situation, between the gate and the British army, and will salute His Majesty as he passes. The King's artillery will be formed near the Palace, and will fire a royal salute on the departure and return of His Majesty.

On His Majesty approaching the platform, a royal salute is to be fired from one of the batteries in the line ; and, on his appearing in front of the troops, he will be received with a general salute from the whole line, the colours being lowered in the manner that is usual to crowned heads, and, as soon as the infantry have shouldered arms, one hundred and one guns are to be fired from the batteries in line, under directions of Brigadier Stevenson.

The envoy, and ministers and officers attached to the mission, the Commander in Chief and his personal staff, and the officers at the heads of departments, and Afghan Sirdars, are to be stationed on the right of the throne, syeds and moollahs on the left, the populace on both sides and rear of the Shah, restrained by His Majesty's cavalry, 4th local horse, and Poonah auxiliary horse.

The Envoy and Commander in Chief will present nuzzurs, as representatives of government.

The officers of the Shah's force will also present nuzzurs, leaving their troops for that purpose after the Shah has passed, and returning to receive His Majesty.

The Shah's subjects will then present nuzzurs. At the close of the ceremony the troops will march past, the cavalry in columns of squadrons, the infantry in columns of companies, in slow time; the columns will move up to the wheeling point in quick time; the columns having passed will continue their route towards the encampment, the 4th brigade of Bengal infantry moving on to the Cabool gateway, at which His Majesty will enter the city, where it will form a street, and salute His Majesty as he passes.

The troops are to appear in white trousers; the officers of the general staff in blue trousers and gold lace.

Corps will parade on the occasion as strong as possible, and the encampments will be protected by the convalescents, and by quarter and rear guards, such extra guards as may be considered essentially necessary to be placed over treasure, at the discretion of brigadiers commanding brigades.

Officers commanding divisions are to be supplied with field states, showing the actual number of troops there are under arms in their respective commands, to be delivered when called for.

His Majesty having expressed a wish that his
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Excellency the Commander in Chief should be near His Person during the ceremony, Major-General Sir Willoughby Cotton will command the troops in line.

May 7.

Owing to the indisposition of Major-General Sir Willoughby Cotton, and his inability consequently to attend to-morrow at the ceremonial on the occasion of His Majesty Shah Shooja-ool-Moolk taking possession of his throne, the post assigned to the Major-General by the General Order of the 5th instant, of commanding the line, will devolve on Major-General Wilshire as the next senior officer; and he is requested to meet the Deputy Adjutant and Deputy Quartermaster General of the Bengal and Bombay troops on the ground, this afternoon, at the time he may fix, to make the necessary arrangements.

May 8.

Lieutenant-General Sir John Keane has received the gracious commands of His Majesty, Shah Shooja-ool-Moolk, to convey to Major-General Wilshire, commanding in the field, to the generals and other officers, and the non-commissioned officers and soldiers, who were present and assisted at the splendid spectacle of the King taking possession of his throne, this day, the deep sense His Majesty entertains of the obligation he owes to them, and to the British nation. The King added, that he would request W. H. Macnaghten, Esq. Envoy and Minister at His Majesty's Court, to convey these his sentiments to the Right Honourable Lord Auckland, Governor-General of India.

By order of Lieutenant-General Sir John Keane,
 Commander in Chief of the Army of the Indus,
 R. MACDONALD, Lieutenant-Colonel, Military Secretary and Deputy Adjutant-General of Her Majesty's Forces, Bombay.

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Buckingham-Palace, August 26, 1839.

The Queen was this day pleased to confer the honour of Knighthood upon John Gardner Wilkinson, Esq. Fellow of the Royal Society.

Whitehall, August 28, 1839.

The Queen has been pleased to direct letters patent to be passed under the Great Seal of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, constituting and appointing the Right Honourable William Viscount Melbourne; the Right Honourable Francis Thornhill Baring; Edward Adolphus Seymour, Esq. (commonly called Lord Seymour); Robert Steuart, Esq.; John Parker, Esq.; and Thomas Wyse, Esq. Her Majesty's Commissioners for executing the offices of Treasurer of the Exchequer of Great Britain and Lord High Treasurer of Ireland.

Westminster, August 26, 1839.

THIS day, the Lords being met, a message was sent to the Honourable House of Commons by the Gentleman Usher of the Black Rod, acquainting them, that *The Lords, authorised by virtue of a Commission under the Great Seal, signed by Her Majesty, for declaring Her Royal Assent to several Acts agreed upon by both Houses, do desire the immediate attendance of the Honourable House in the House of Peers to hear the Commission read*; and the Commons being come thither, the said Commission, empowering the Lord Archbishop of Canterbury, the Lord High Chancellor of

of Great Britain, and several other Lords therein named, to declare and notify the Royal Assent to the said Acts, was read accordingly, and the Royal Assent given to

An Act for the better administration of justice in detached parts of counties.

An Act to continue the Poor Law Commission until the fourteenth day of August one thousand eight hundred and forty, and thenceforth until the end of the then next session of Parliament.

An Act to amend the laws relating to the assessment and collection of rates for the relief of the poor.

An Act to enable justices of the peace, in petty sessions, to make orders for the support of bastard children.

An Act to amend an Act, passed in the session holden in the sixth year of His late Majesty King William the Fourth, for amending the laws relating to bankrupts in Ireland.

An Act for improving the police in Manchester for two years, and from thence until the end of the then next session of Parliament.

An Act for improving the police in Birmingham for two years, and from thence until the end of the then next session of Parliament.

An Act for further extending the approaches to London-bridge, and amending the Acts relating thereto.

Acts received the Royal Assent, August 27, 1839.

(The Queen present.)

An Act for raising the sum of twelve millions twenty-six thousand and fifty pounds, by Exchequer Bills, for the service of the year one thousand eight hundred and thirty-nine.

An Act to apply a sum, out of the Consolidated Fund and the surplus of Ways and Means, to the service of the year one thousand eight hundred and thirty-nine, and to appropriate the supplies granted in this session of Parliament.

An Act for funding four millions of Exchequer Bills.

An Act to exempt the Parliamentary grant to the heirs of John Duke of Marlborough, from the payment of the duty of one shilling and six pence in the pound.

An Act to continue an Act, of the last session of Parliament, relating to the Bank of Ireland.

An Act to authorize Her Majesty, until six months after the commencement of the next session of Parliament, to carry into effect a Convention between Her Majesty and the King of the French, relative to the fisheries on the coasts of the British islands and of France.

An Act for the establishment of county and district constables by the authority of justices of the peace.

An Act to explain and amend an Act, of the first and second years of Her present Majesty, so far as relates to fines and penalties levied under the Revenue Laws in Ireland.

An Act for improving the police in Bolton for two years, and from thence until the end of the then next session of Parliament.

FROM THE
LONDON GAZETTE of SEPTEMBER 3,
1839.

Whitehall, August 23, 1839.

THE Queen has been pleased to appoint
 The Most Honourable the Marquess of Bread-
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The Right Honourable the Earl of Dalhousie;
 The Right Honourable the Earl of Roseberry;
 The Right Honourable Viscount Melville, K. T.;
 The Right Honourable Lord Belhaven;
 The Honourable Fox Maule;
 The Right Honourable Sir William Rae, Bart.;
 Thomas Maitland, Esq. Advocate;
 John Shaw Stewart, Esq. Advocate;
 Alexander Earle Monteith, Esq. Advocate;
 Adam Anderson, Esq. Advocate;
 Graham Spiers, Esq. Advocate;
 Frederick Hill, Esq.; and
 John Wigham, jun. Esq.;

in addition to certain *ex officio* Directors appointed
 by the Act, passed in the last session of Parliament,
 intituled "An Act to improve prisons and prison
 discipline in Scotland," to form the General Board
 of Directors of Prisons in Scotland.

Whitehall, August 24, 1839.

The Queen has been pleased to appoint Andrew Murray, jun. Esq. Advocate, to be Secretary to the General Board of Directors of Prisons in Scotland.

Downing-Street, August 29, 1839.

The Queen has been pleased to appoint the Right Honourable Charles Poulett Thomson to be Governor-General, Vice-Admiral, and Captain-General of all Her Majesty's Provinces within and adjacent to the Continent of North America.

Crown-Office, September 2, 1839.

MEMBER returned to serve in this present
PARLIAMENT.

Borough of Portsmouth.

The Right Honourable Francis Thornhill Baring,
Chancellor of Her Majesty's Exchequer.

FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of SEPTEMBER 10,
1839.*Treasury-Chambers, Whitehall, September 9, 1839.*

THE Queen has been pleased to direct letters patent to pass the Great Seal of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, constituting and appointing the Right Honourable Thomas Baron Monteagle, Comptroller General of the Receipt and Issue of Her Majesty's Exchequer.

Whitehall, September 7, 1839.

The Queen has been pleased to direct letters patent to be passed under the Great Seal, declaring Sarah Otway Cave, of Stanford-hall, in the county of Leicester, widow, Baroness Braye, she being one of the coheirs of John the last Lord Braye, and as such one of the coheirs of the Barony of Braye, originating by writ of summons to Parliament granted to Sir Edmund Braye, in the reign of King Henry the Eighth; and that she, the said Sarah Otway Cave, shall be Baroness Braye, and have, hold, and enjoy the said Barony of Braye, together with all the rights, titles privileges, pre-eminences, immunities, and advantages, and the precedence thereunto belonging, to hold to her and the heirs of her body, in as full and ample manner as John the last Lord Braye held and enjoyed the same.

Whitehall, September 7, 1839.

The Queen has been pleased to direct letters patent to be passed under the Great Seal of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, conferring the honour of Knighthood upon Michael MacTurk, Esq. of British Guiana.

Crown-Office, September 9, 1839.

MEMBER returned to serve in this present
PARLIAMENT.

Borough of Cambridge.

The Honourable John Henry Thomas Manners Sutton, of Plumstead-hall, in the county of Norfolk, in the room of the Right Honourable Thomas Spring Rice, who has accepted the Chiltern Hundreds.

*Office of Metropolitan Commissioners in
Lunacy, No. 6, John-Street, Adelphi,
September 9, 1839.*

The Right Honourable the Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain has, under the authority of the Act 2d and 3d William 4th, cap. 107, appointed Lord Seymour; Lord Ashley; Sir Walter Rockliff Farquhar, Bart.; Robert Gordon, Esq.; Robert Vernon Smith, Esq.; John Abel Smith, Esq.; Colonel William Henry Sykes; Colonel Edward Clive; Captain Henry Jelf Sharp; Edmund Halswell, Esq.; John Barneby, Esq.; James Milnes Gaskell, Esq.; James William Mylne, Esq.; Bryan Waller Procter, Esq.; Dr. Thomas Turner;
Dr.

Dr. John Bright; Dr. Henry Herbert Southey; Dr. John Robert Hume; and Dr. Cornwallis Hewett, to be the Metropolitan Commissioners in Lunacy, during the space of one year, for licencing and visiting all houses within the jurisdiction of the said Commissioners, and for carrying into effect the several provisions of the said Act.

By order,
Edward Du Bois, Clerk and Treasurer.

FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of SEPTEMBER 13,
 1839.

Foreign-Office, September 12, 1839.

THE Queen has been graciously pleased to appoint Edward Porter, Esq. to be Her Majesty's Consul at Bahia.

The Queen has also been graciously pleased to appoint Godschall Johnson, Esq. to be Her Majesty's Consul at Antwerp.

Whitehall, September 11, 1839.

The Queen has been pleased to appoint Doctor John Lee to be Secretary to Her Majesty's sole and only Master Printers in Scotland.

Crown-Office, September 12, 1839.

MEMBERS returned to serve in this present
PARLIAMENT.

City of Waterford.

Thomas Wyse, Esq.

Borough of Manchester.

Robert Hyde Greg, Esq. in the room of the Right Honourable Charles Poulett Thomson, who has accepted the office of Governor General of Canada.

FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of SEPTEMBER 20,
1839.

Whitehall, September 14, 1839.

THE Queen has been graciously pleased to order a writ to be issued under the Great Seal of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland for summoning Thomas Stonor, of Stonor, in the county of Oxford, Esq. to the House of Peers, by the name, stile, and title of Baron Camoys, he being one of the heirs of the body of Margaret, the eldest coheir of Hugh last Lord Camoys, grandson of Thomas Lord Camoys, who sat in Parliament in the reign of King Richard the Second.

FROM THE
LONDON GAZETTE of SEPTEMBER 24,
 1839.

Crown-Office, September 21, 1839.

MEMBER returned to serve in this present
 PARLIAMENT.

County of Tipperary.

The Right Honourable Richard Lalor Sheil, of
 Long Orchard, in the said county.

FROM THE
LONDON GAZETTE of SEPTEMBER 27,
 1839.

Whitehall, September 27, 1839.

THE Queen has been pleased to constitute and
 appoint Thomas Babington Macaulay, Esq. to be
 Her Majesty's Secretary at War.

From

From the DUBLIN GAZETTE of Tuesday,
September 24, 1839.

*Crown and Hanaper-Office,
September 21, 1839.*

IN pursuance of an Act, passed in the fortieth year of the reign of His Majesty King George the Third, intituled "An Act to regulate the mode by which the Lords Spiritual and Temporal, and the Commons, to serve in the Parliament of the United Kingdom, on the part of Ireland, shall be summoned and returned to the said Parliament," I hereby give notice, that the Right Honourable Windham Henry Earl of Dunraven has been chosen to be the Peer to sit and vote, on the part of Ireland, in the House of Lords of the United Kingdom, in the room of Richard Earl of Lucan, deceased.

C. Fitz-Simon,
Clerk of the Crown and Hanaper.

FROM THE

**LONDON GAZETTE of OCTOBER 1,
1839.**

At the Court at *Windsor*, the 30th day of
September 1839,

PRESENT,

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

THIS day the Right Honourable Thomas Babington Macaulay was, by Her Majesty's command, sworn of Her Majesty's Most Honourable Privy Council, and took his place at the Board accordingly.

At the Court at *Windsor*, the 30th day of
September 1839,

PRESENT,

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS by an Act, passed in the session of Parliament holden in the third and fourth years of the reign of His late Majesty King William the Fourth, intituled " An Act to regulate the trade
" of the British possessions abroad," it was, amongst other things, enacted, that no goods should be imported into, nor should any goods, except the produce of the fisheries in British ships, be exported from, any of the British possessions in America, by
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sea, from or to any place other than the United Kingdom, or some other of such possessions, excepting to or from the several ports in such possessions called free ports, enumerated or described in the table in the said Act contained; and that if any goods should be imported into any port or place in any of the said possessions, contrary to the said Act, such goods should be forfeited; provided always, that, if His Majesty should deem it expedient to extend the provisions of the said Act to any port or ports not enumerated in the said table, it should be lawful for His Majesty, by Order in Council, to extend the provisions of the said Act to such port or ports; and that from and after the day mentioned in such Order in Council all the privileges and advantages of the said Act, and all the provisions, penalties, and forfeitures therein contained, subject, nevertheless, to the limitations and restrictions thereafter provided, should extend, and be deemed and construed to extend, to any such port or ports respectively as fully as if the same had been inserted and enumerated in the said table at the time of passing the said Act:

And whereas Her Majesty doth deem it expedient to extend the before-mentioned provisions of the said Act, respecting such free ports, to the ports of Windsor, Parsboro', Cumberland, Shelburne, and Lunenburg, in the province of Nova Scotia:

Now, therefore, under and by virtue of the said Act of Parliament, and in exercise of the powers thereby in Her Majesty in Council in that behalf vested, Her Majesty, by and with the advice of Her Privy Council, doth order, and it is hereby ordered accordingly, that the provisions of the said Act, as far as the same relate to the free ports respectively therein mentioned, shall be, and the same are hereby, extended to the ports of Windsor, Parsboro', Cumberland, Shelburne, and Lunenburg, in the province of Nova Scotia; and that, from and
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after the first day of December one thousand eight hundred and thirty-nine, all the privileges and advantages of the said Act conferred upon the free ports therein mentioned, and all the provisions, penalties, and forfeitures in the said Act contained, subject to the limitations and restrictions therein provided, shall extend to the said ports of Windsor, Parsboro', Cumberland, Shelburne, and Lunenburg, in the province of Nova Scotia, as fully and effectually as if such ports had been inserted and enumerated in the said table at the time of passing the said Act:

And the Right Honourable the Lords Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury are to give the necessary directions herein accordingly.

Wm. L. Bathurst.

FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of OCTOBER 4,
1839.

Foreign-Office, October 1, 1839.

THE Queen has been graciously pleased to appoint George Lloyd Hodges, Esq. late Her Majesty's Consul-General in Servia, to be Her Majesty's Agent and Consul-General in Egypt.

FROM THE
LONDON GAZETTE of OCTOBER 8,
1839.

Whitehall, October 7, 1839.

THE Queen has been pleased to grant unto Sir James Robert Grant, Knt. Doctor in Medicine, Inspector-General of Army Hospitals, and Knight of the Royal Hanoverian Guelphic Order, Her royal licence and permission, that he may accept and wear the cross of the Imperial Russian Order of St. Anne, of the second class, which His Imperial Majesty the Emperor of Russia hath been pleased to confer upon him, for services rendered to the Russian corps d'armée during the occupation of France; and that he may enjoy all the rights and privileges thereunto annexed:

And also to command, that Her Majesty's said concession and especial mark of Her royal favour be registered, together with the relative documents, in Her Majesty's College of Arms.

FROM THE
LONDON GAZETTE of OCTOBER 11,
 1839.

Whitehall, October 10, 1839.

THE Queen has been pleased to appoint the Reverend David Welsh, Doctor in Divinity, to be Secretary to Her Majesty's sole and only Master Printers in Scotland, in the room of Dr. John Lee, resigned.

FROM THE
LONDON GAZETTE of OCTOBER 15,
 1839.

Whitehall, October 15, 1839.

THE Queen has been pleased to present the Reverend Robert McNeil to the church and parish of Stony Kirk, in the presbytery of Stranraer and shire of Wigtoun, vacant by the death of the Reverend James Anderson.

FROM THE
LONDON GAZETTE of OCTOBER 18,
1839.

Whitehall, October 12, 1839.

THE Queen has been pleased to appoint Admiral the Honourable Charles Elphinstone Fleming to be Master of Her Majesty's Hospital at Greenwich, in the county of Kent, in the room of Vice-Admiral Sir Thomas Masterman Hardy, Bart. deceased.

Whitehall, October 17, 1839.

The Queen has been pleased to present the Reverend Henry Thompson, B. A. to the rectory of Fobbing, in the county of Essex and diocese of London, void by the resignation of the Reverend John Honeywood Randolph.

Whitehall, October 16, 1839.

The Queen has been pleased to grant unto Lieutenant George-Edward Turner, of the Royal Artillery, Her royal licence and permission, that he may accept and wear the insignia of the National and Military Order of Saint Ferdinand, of the first class; the insignia of a Supernumerary Knight of the Royal and Distinguished Order of Charles the Third; and the insignia of a Commander of the Royal Order of Isabella the Catholic; which the Queen Regent of Spain has been pleased to confer upon that Officer, in testimony of Her Catholic Majesty's royal approbation of his services in the field while attached to Lieutenant-Colonel William Wylde, of the Royal Artillery, British Commissioner at the head-quarters of the Spanish army, and of his conduct during the operations in Navarre, in April and May last; and that he may enjoy all the rights and privileges thereunto annexed; provided, nevertheless, that Her Majesty's said licence and permission doth not authorize the assumption of any style, appellation, rank, precedence, or privilege appertaining unto a Knight Bachelor of these realms:

And also to command, that Her Majesty's said concession and especial mark of Her royal favour be registered, together with the relative documents, in Her Majesty's College of Arms.

FROM THE
LONDON GAZETTE of **OCTOBER 22,**
 1839.

At the Court at *Windsor*, the 21st day of *October*
 1839,

PRESENT,

The **QUEEN**'s Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

IT is this day ordered by Her Majesty in Council, that the Parliament, which stands prorogued to Thursday the twenty-fourth day of October instant, be further prorogued to Thursday the twelfth day of December next.

At the Court at *Windsor*, the 21st day of *October*
 1839,

PRESENT,

The **QUEEN**'s Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

HER Majesty having been pleased to appoint the Right Honourable George William Lord Lyttelton to be Lord Lieutenant and Custos Rotulorum of the county of Worcester, his Lordship this day took the Oaths appointed to be taken thereupon, instead of the Oaths of Allegiance and Supremacy.

Foreign-Office, October 21, 1839.

The Queen has been graciously pleased to appoint Henry Southern, Esq. First Attaché to Her Majesty's Legation at Madrid, to be Secretary to Her Majesty's Legation at Lisbon.

CIRCUITS OF THE COMMISSIONERS FOR RELIEF OF INSOLVENT DEBTORS.

SPRING CIRCUITS, 1840.

HOME CIRCUIT.

H. R. Reynolds, Esq. Chief Commissioner.

Sussex, at Horsham, Friday, March 6.

At the City of Canterbury, Friday, March 13.

Kent, at Dover, Saturday, March 14.

Kent, at Maidstone, Tuesday, March 17.

Hertfordshire, at Hertford, Friday, April 3.

SOUTHERN CIRCUIT.

J. G. Harris, Esq. Commissioner.

Berkshire, at Reading, Tuesday, February 25.

Oxfordshire, at Oxford, Thursday, February 27.

*Worcestershire, at Worcester and City, Saturday,
February 29.*

Radnorshire, at Presteigne, Monday, March 2.

Herefordshire, at Hereford, Tuesday, March 3.

Monmouthshire, at Monmouth, Thursday, March 5.

Brecknockshire, at Brecon, Saturday, March 7.

Cardiganshire, at Cardigan, Tuesday, March 10.

*Pembrokeshire, at Haverfordwest and Town, Thurs-
day, March 12.*

*Carmarthenshire, at Carmarthen and Borough, Fri-
day, March 13.*

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Glamorganshire, at Swansea, Monday, March 16.
Glamorganshire, at Cardiff, Wednesday, March 18.
Gloucestershire, at Gloucester and City, Friday,
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At the City of Bristol, Monday, March 23.
Somersetshire, at Bath, Wednesday, March 25.
Somersetshire, at Wells, Friday, March 27.
Devonshire, at Exeter and City, Monday, March 30.
Devonshire, at Plymouth, Wednesday, April 1.
Cornwall, at Bodmin, Friday, April 3.
Dorsetshire, at Dorchester, Monday, April 6.
At the Town of Southampton, Wednesday, April 8.
Wiltshire, at Salisbury, Thursday, April 9.
Hampshire, at Winchester, Friday, April 10.

NORTHERN CIRCUIT.

T. B. Bowen, Esq. Commissioner.

Rutlandshire, at Oakham, Wednesday, February 12.
Yorkshire, at Sheffield, Friday, February 14.
Yorkshire, at Wakefield, Monday, February 17.
At the Town of Kingston-upon-Hull, Saturday,
 February 22.
Yorkshire, at York and City, Monday, Febru-
 ary 24.
Yorkshire, at Richmond, Thursday, February 27.
Durham, at Durham, Friday, February 28.
Northumberland, at Newcastle-upon-Tyne and Town,
 Monday, March 2.
Cumberland, at Carlisle, Thursday, March 5.
Westmorland, at Appleby, Saturday, March 7.
Westmorland, at Kendal, Monday, March 9.
Lancashire, at Lancaster, Tuesday, March 10.
Lancashire, at Preston, Tuesday, March 17.
Lancashire, at Liverpool, Wednesday, March 18.
Cheshire, at Chester and City, Friday, March 20.
Flintshire, at Mold, Monday, March 23.
Denbighshire, at Ruthin, Tuesday, March 24.
Anglesey, at Beaumaris, Thursday, March 26.

Carnarvonshire, at Carnarvon, Friday, March 27.
Merionethshire, at Dolgelly, Monday, March 30.
Montgomeryshire, at Welch Pool, Wednesday, April 1.

MIDLAND CIRCUIT.

W. J. Law, Esq. Commissioner.

Essex, at Chelmsford, Thursday, March 5.
Essex, at Colchester, Friday, March 6.
Suffolk, at Ipswich, Saturday, March 7.
Norfolk, at Yarmouth, Monday, March 9.
Norfolk, at Norwich and City, Tuesday, March 10.
Norfolk, at Lynn, Thursday, March 12.
Suffolk, at Bury St. Edmunds, Friday, March 13.
Cambridgeshire, at Cambridge, Saturday, March 14.
Huntingdonshire, at Huntingdon, Monday, March 16.
Northamptonshire, at Peterborough, same day.
Warwickshire, at Warwick, Wednesday, March 18.
Warwickshire, at Birmingham, Friday, March 20.
At the City of Coventry, Saturday, March 21.
Derbyshire, at Derby, Monday, March 23.
Nottinghamshire, at Nottingham and Town, Tuesday, March 24.
Lincolnshire, at Lincoln and City, Thursday, March 26.
Leicestershire, at Leicester, Saturday, March 28.
At the City of Lichfield, Monday, March 30.
Staffordshire, at Stafford, Tuesday, March 31.
Shropshire, at Shrewsbury, Thursday, April 2.
Shropshire, at Oldbury, Saturday, April 4.
Bedfordshire, at Bedford, Tuesday, April 7.
Northamptonshire, at Northampton, Wednesday, April 8.
Buckinghamshire, at Aylesbury, Thursday, April 9.

FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of OCTOBER 25,
1839.

At the Court at *Windsor*, the 21st day of *October*
1839,

PRESENT,

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS by an Act, passed in the session of Parliament, held in the third and fourth years of the reign of His late Majesty King William the Fourth, intituled "An Act for the general regulation of the Customs," it is, amongst other things, enacted, that goods, of places within the limits of the East India Company's charter, shall be imported into such ports of the United Kingdom as shall be approved of by the Lords of the Treasury and declared by an Order in Council, to be fit and proper for such importation :

And whereas the several ports hereinafter mentioned, that is to say, *Dover*, in the county of *Kent*; *Aberdeen*, in the county of *Aberdeen*; *Dundee*, in the county of *Angus*; *Exeter*, in the county of *Devon*; *Goole*, in the county of *York*; *Lancaster*, in the county of *Lancaster*; *Londonderry*, in the province of *Ulster*, *Ireland*; *Portsmouth* and *Southampton*, both in the county of *Hants*; *Sunderland*, in the county of *Durham*; and *Yarmouth*, in the county of *Norfolk*; have been approved

proved of by the Lords of Her Majesty's Treasury for that purpose ;

Her Majesty, by and with the advice of Her Privy Council, is thereupon pleased to declare, and it is hereby declared, that the said ports of Dover, Aberdeen, Dundee, Exeter, Goole, Lancaster, Londonderry, Portsmouth, Southampton, Sunderland, and Yarmouth, are fit and proper for the importation of goods from places within the limits of the East India Company's charter :

And the Right Honourable the Lords Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury are to give the necessary directions herein accordingly,

Wm. L. Bathurst.

Downing-Street, October 25, 1839.

The Queen has been graciously pleased to nominate and appoint Admiral Sir Henry William Bayntun, Knight Commander of the Most Honourable Military Order of the Bath, to be a Knight Grand Cross of the said Order, in the room of Sir Thomas Hardy, deceased.

Her Majesty has further been pleased to appoint Rear-Admiral Samuel Pym and Major-General Sir John Boscawen Savage, Knight, Companions of the Most Honourable Military Order of the Bath, to be Knights Commanders; and Captain James Whitley Deans Dundas, of the Royal Navy, to be a Companion of the said Order.

FROM THE
LONDON GAZETTE of OCTOBER 29,
1839.

Downing-Street, October 26, 1839.

THE Queen has been pleased to appoint Colonel John Hare, C. B. to be Lieutenant Governor of the Eastern Division of the Settlement of the Cape of Good Hope, comprising the several Districts of Albany, Somerset, Uitenhage, and Graaf Reynet.

Whitehall, October 26, 1839.

The Queen has been pleased to present the Reverend Simon Mackintosh to the church of the united parishes of Daviot and Dunlichity, in the presbytery and shire of Inverness, vacant by the death of the Reverend James M'Phail.

FROM THE
LONDON GAZETTE EXTRAORDINARY of
OCTOBER 30, 1839.

India Board, October 30, 1839.

DISPATCHES have been received at the East India-house, from the Governor General of India, dated at Simla, the 22d of August 1839; and from the Governor in Council of Bombay, dated the 12th of September; of which the following are extracts:

From the Governor General.

I FORWARD, with feelings of the highest satisfaction, the intelligence of the storm and capture of the important fortress of Ghuznee, by the British army, under the command of his Excellency Lieutenant-General Sir John Keane.

The judgment, skill, and gallantry by which this great success was accomplished, is most honourable to the brave men of all ranks engaged in the action; and I cannot doubt, that their conduct will be honourably and warmly acknowledged.

From

From Lieutenant-General Sir John Keane to the Governor-General of India, dated Head Quarters, Camp, Ghuznee, July 24, 1839.

I have the satisfaction to acquaint your Lordship that the army under my command have succeeded in performing one of the most brilliant acts it has ever been my lot to witness, during my service of forty-five years, in the four quarters of the globe, in the capture, by storm, of the strong and important fortress and citadel of Ghuznee, yesterday.

It is not only that the Afghan nation, and I understand, Asia generally, have looked upon it as impregnable, but it is in reality a place of great strength, both by nature and art, far more so than I had reason to suppose from any descriptions that I had received of it, although some are from Officers in our own service, who had seen it in their travels.

I was surprised to find a high rampart in good repair, built on a scarped mound, about thirty-five feet high, flanked by numerous towers, and surrounded by a *fausse braie* and a wet ditch, whilst the height of the citadel covered the interior from the commanding fire of the hills from the north, rendering it nugatory. In addition to this, screen walls had been built before the gates, the ditch was filled with water, and unfordable, and an outwork built on the right bank of the river, so as to command the bed of it.

It is, therefore, the more honourable to the troops, and must appear to the enemy out of all calculation extraordinary, that a fortress and citadel, to the strength of which, for the last thirty years, they had been adding something each year, and which had a garrison of three thousand five hundred Afghan soldiers, commanded by Prince Mahomed Hyder, the son of Dost Mahomed Khan, the Ruler
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of the country, with a commanding number of guns, and abundance of ammunition and other stores, provisions, &c. for a regular siege, should have been taken by British science and British valour, in less than two hours from the time the attack was made; and the whole, including the Governor and garrison, should fall into our hands.

My dispatch of the 20th instant, from Nanee, will have made known to your Lordship, that the camps of His Majesty Shah Shooja-ool Moolk, and of Major-General Willshire with the Bombay troops, had there joined me, in accordance with my desire; and the following morning we made our march of twelve miles to Ghuznee, the line of march being over a fine plain; the troops were disposed in a manner that would have enabled me at any moment had we been attacked, as was probable from the large bodies of troops moving on each side of us, to have placed them in position to receive the enemy; they did not, however, appear, but on our coming within range of the guns of the citadel and fortress of Ghuznee, a sharp cannonade was opened on our leading column, together with a heavy fire of musquetry from behind garden walls, and temporary field works thrown up, as well as the strong out-work I have already alluded to, which commanded the bed of the river. From all but the out-work, the enemy were driven in, under the walls of the fort in a spirited manner by parties, thrown forward by Major-General Sir Willoughby Cotton, of the 16th and 48th Bengal Native Infantry, and Her Majesty's 13th Light Infantry, under Brigadier Sale. I ordered forward three troops of horse artillery, the camel battery, and one foot battery to open upon the citadel and fortress by throwing Shrapnell shells, which was done in a masterly style, under the direction of Brigadier Stevenson; my object in this was, to make the enemy show their strength in guns, and in other respects,

which completely succeeded; and our shells must have done great execution, and occasioned great consternation. Being perfectly satisfied on the point of their strength, in the course of half an hour, I ordered the fire to cease, and placed the troops in bivouac. A close reconnoissance of the place all round was then undertaken by Captain Thomson, the Chief Engineer, and Captain Peat, of the Bombay Engineers, accompanied by Major Garden, the Deputy Quartermaster-General of the Bengal Army, supported by a strong party of Her Majesty's 16th lancers, and one from Her Majesty's 13th light infantry. On this party a steady fire was kept up, and some casualties occurred. Captain Thomson's report was very clear: he found the fortifications equally strong all round; and as my own opinion coincided with his, I did not hesitate a moment as to the manner in which our approach and attack upon the place should be made. Notwithstanding the march the troops had performed in the morning, and their having been a considerable time engaged with the enemy, I ordered the whole to move across the river (which runs close under the fort walls) in columns to the right and left of the town, and they were placed in position on the north side on more commanding ground, and securing the Cabool road. I had information that a night attack upon the camp was intended, from without. Mahomed Ubzul Khan, the eldest son of Dost Mahomed Khan, had been sent by his father with a strong body of troops, from Cabool, to the brother's assistance at Ghuznee, and was encamped outside the walls, but abandoned his position on our approach, keeping, however, at the distance of a few miles from us. The two rebel chiefs of the Ghilzye tribe, men of great influence, viz., Abdool Rhuman and Gool Mahomed Khan, had joined him with one thousand five hundred horse, and also a body of about three thousand Ghazees, from Zeinat, under a mixture of chiefs

chiefs and moollahs, carrying banners, and who had been assembled on the cry of a religious war. In short we were in all directions surrounded by enemies. These last actually came down the hills on the 22d, and attacked the part of the camp occupied by His Majesty Shah Shooja and his own troops, but were driven back with considerable loss, and banners taken.

At day light on the 22d, I reconnoitered Ghuznee, in company with the Chief Engineer and the Brigadier commanding the Artillery, with the Adjutant and Quartermaster-General of the Bengal army, for the purpose of making all arrangements for carrying the place by storm, and these were completed in the course of the day. Instead of the tedious process of breaching (for which we were ill prepared), Captain Thomson undertook, with the assistance of Captain Peat, of the Bombay Engineers, Lieutenants Durand and Macleod of the Bengal Engineers, and other officers under him (Captain Thomson), to blow in the Cabool-gate (the weakest point) with gunpowder; and so much faith did I place on the success of this operation, that my plans for the assault were immediately laid down, and the orders given.

The different troops of horse artillery, the camel and foot batteries moved off their ground at twelve o'clock that night, without the slightest noise, as had been directed, and in the most correct manner took up the position assigned them, about two hundred and fifty yards from the walls. In like manner, and with the same silence, the infantry soon after moved from their ground, and all were at their post at the proper time. A few minutes before three o'clock in the morning, the explosion took place, and proved completely successful. Captain Peat, of the Bombay engineers, was thrown down and stunned by it, but shortly afterwards recovered his senses and feeling. On hearing the advance sounded by the bugles (being the signal for the gate having

been blown in), the artillery, under the able directions of Brigadier Stevenson, consisting of Captain Grant's troop of Bengal horse artillery, the camel battery, under Captain Abbott, both superintended by Major Pew, Captains Martin and Cotgrave's troop of Bombay horse artillery, and Captain Lloyd's battery of Bombay foot artillery, all opened a terrific fire upon the citadel and ramparts of the fort, and in a certain degree paralyzed the enemy.

Under the guidance of Captain Thomson, of the Bengal Engineers, the chief of the department, Colonel Dennie, of Her Majesty's 13th light infantry, commanding the advance, consisting of the light companies of Her Majesty's 2d and 17th foot, and of the Bengal European regiment, with one company of Her Majesty's 13th light infantry, proceeded to the gate, and with great difficulty, from the rubbish thrown down, and the determined opposition offered by the enemy, effected an entrance, and established themselves within the gateway, closely followed by the main column, led in a spirit of great gallantry by Brigadier Sale, to whom I had entrusted the important post of commanding the storming party, consisting (with the advance above mentioned) of Her Majesty's 2d foot, under Major Carruthers, the Bengal European regiment, under Lieutenant-Colonel Orchard, followed by Her Majesty's 13th light infantry, under Major Tronson, and Her Majesty's 17th regiment, under Lieutenant Colonel Croker. The struggle within the fort was desperate for a considerable time. In addition to the heavy fire kept up, our troops were assailed by the enemy sword in hand, and with daggers, pistols, &c. but British courage, perseverance, and fortitude overcame all opposition; and the fire of the enemy in the lower area of the fort, being nearly silenced, Brigadier Sale turned towards the citadel, from which could now be seen men abandoning their guns running in all directions, throwing themselves
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down from immense heights, endeavouring to make their escape, and on reaching the gate with Her Majesty's 17th, under Lieutenant-Colonel Croker, followed by the 13th, forced it open; at five o'clock in the morning the colours of Her Majesty's 13th and 17th were planted on the citadel of Ghuznee, amidst the cheers of all ranks. Instant protection was granted to the women found in the citadel (among whom were those of Mahomed Hyder, the Governor), and sentries placed over the magazine for its security. Brigadier Sale reports having received much assistance from Captain Kershaw, of Her Majesty's 13th light infantry, throughout the whole of the service of the storming.

Major-General Sir Willoughby Cotton executed, in a manner much to my satisfaction, the orders he had received. The Major-General followed closely the assaulting party into the fort with the reserve, namely, Brigadier Roberts with the only available regiment of his brigade, the 35th native infantry, under Lieutenant-Colonel Monteath, part of Brigadier Sale's brigade, the 16th native infantry, under Major Maclaren, and 48th native infantry, under Lieutenant-Colonel Wheeler, and they immediately occupied the ramparts, putting down opposition whenever they met any, and making prisoners, until the place was completely in our possession. A desultory fire was kept up in the town long after the citadel was in our hands, from those who had taken shelter in houses, and in desperation kept firing on all that approached them. In this way several of our men were wounded, and some killed; but the aggressors paid dearly for their bad conduct in not surrendering when the place was completely ours. I must not omit to mention that three companies of the 35th native infantry, under Captain Hay, ordered to the south side of the fort to begin with a false attack, to attract attention to that side,

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performed that service at the proper time, and greatly to my satisfaction.

As we were threatened with an attack for the relief of the garrison, I ordered the 19th Bombay native infantry, under the command of Lieutenant Colonel Stalker, to guard the Cabool road, and to be in support of the cavalry division. This might have proved an important position to occupy, but as it was, no enemy appeared.

The cavalry division under Major General Thackwell, in addition to watching the approach of an enemy, had directions to surround Ghuznee, and to sweep the plain, preventing the escape of the runaways from the garrison. Brigadier Arnold's brigade (the Brigadier himself, I deeply regret to say, was labouring under very severe illness, having shortly before burst a blood vessel internally, which rendered it wholly impossible for him to mount a horse that day), consisting of Her Majesty's 16th lancers, under Lieutenant Colonel Persse momentarily commanding the brigade, and Major M'Dowell, the junior Major of the regiment (the senior Major of the 16th lancers, Major Cureton, an officer of great merit, being actively engaged in the execution of his duties as Assistant Adjutant General to the cavalry division), the 2nd cavalry under Major Salter, and the 3rd under Lieutenant Colonel Smith, were ordered to watch the south and west sides. Brigadier Scott's brigade was placed on the Cabool road, consisting of Her Majesty's 4th light dragoons under Ma or Daly, and of the 1st Bombay cavalry under Lieutenant Colonel Sandwith, to watch the north and east sides. This duty was performed in a manner greatly to my satisfaction.

After the storming, and that quiet was in some degree restored within, I conducted His Majesty Shah Shooja ool Moolk, and the British envoy and minister Mr. Macnaghten round the eitadel, and a
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great part of the fortress. The king was perfectly astonished at our having made ourselves masters of a place conceived to be impregnable, when defended, in the short space of two hours, and in less than forty eight hours after we came before it. His Majesty was of course greatly delighted at the result. When I afterwards, in the course of the day, took Mahomed Hyder Khan, the Governor, first to the British Minister, and then to the King to make his submission, I informed His Majesty that I had made a promise that his life should not be touched, and the King in very handsome terms assented, and informed Mahomed Hyder in my presence, that although he and his family had been rebels, yet he was willing to forget and forgive all.

Prince Mahomed Hyder, the Governor of Ghuznee, is a prisoner of war in my camp, and under the surveillance of Sir Alexander Burnes, an arrangement very agreeable to the former.

From Major General Sir Willoughby Cotton, commanding the first infantry division (of the Bengal army) I have invariably received the strongest support, and on this occasion his exertions were manifest in support of the honour of the profession and of our country.

I have likewise at all times received able assistance from Major-General Willshire, commanding the 2d infantry division of the Bombay army, which it was found expedient on that day to break up, some for the storming party, and some for other duties; the Major-General, as directed, was in attendance on myself.

To Brigadier Sale I feel deeply indebted for the gallant and soldier-like manner in which he conducted the responsible and arduous duty intrusted to him in command of the storming party, and for the arrangements he made in the citadel immediately after taking possession of it; the sabre wound which he received in the face did not prevent his continuing
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to direct his column until everything was secure, and I am happy in the opportunity of bringing to your Lordship's notice the excellent conduct of Brigadier Sale on this occasion.

Brigadier Stevenson, in command of the artillery, was all I could wish; and he reports that Brigade Majors Backhouse and Coghlan ably assisted him; his arrangements were good, and the execution done by the arm he commands, was such as cannot be forgotten by those of the enemy who have witnessed and survived it.

To Brigadier Roberts, to Colonel Dennie, who commanded the advance, and to the different officers commanding regiments already mentioned, as well as to the other officers and gallant soldiers under them, who so nobly maintained the honour and reputation of our country, my best acknowledgements are due.

To Captain Thomson, of the Bengal engineers, the chief of the department with me, much of the credit of the success of this brilliant coup-de-main is due. A place of the same strength, and by such simple means as this highly talented and scientific officer recommended to be tried, has perhaps never before been taken, and I feel I cannot do sufficient justice to Captain Thomson's merits for his conduct throughout. In the execution he was ably supported by the officers already mentioned; and so eager were the other officers of the engineers of both presidencies for the honour of carrying the powder bags, that the point could only be decided by seniority, which shews the fine feeling by which they were animated.

I must now inform your Lordship, that since I joined the Bengal column in the valley of Shawl, I have continued my march with it in the advance, and it has been my good fortune to have had the assistance of two most efficient Staff Officers, in Major Craigie, Deputy Adjutant-General, and Major Gar-

Garden, Deputy Quartermaster-General. It is but justice to those officers that I should state to your Lordship the high satisfaction I have derived from the manner in which all their duties have been performed up to this day, and that I look upon them as promising officers to fill the higher ranks. To the other officers of both departments I am also much indebted for the correct performance of all duties appertaining to their situations.

To Major Keith, the Deputy Adjutant General, and Major Campbell, the Deputy Quartermaster General, of the Bombay army, and to all the other officers of both departments under them, my acknowledgments are also due, for the manner in which their duties have been performed during this campaign.

Captain Alexander, commanding the 4th Bengal local horse, and Major Cunningham, commanding the Poona auxillary horse, with the men under their orders, have been of essential service to the army in this campaign.

The arrangements made by Superintending Surgeons Kennedy and Atkinson, previous to the storming, for affording assistance and comfort to the wounded, met with my approval.

Major Parsons, the Deputy Commissary-General in charge of the department in the field, has been unremitting in his attention to keep the troops supplied, although much difficulty is experienced, and he is occasionally thwarted by the nature of the country and its inhabitants.

I have throughout this service received the utmost assistance I could derive from Lieutenant-Colonel MacDonald, my officiating Military Secretary, and Deputy Adjutant-General of Her Majesty's Forces at Bombay, from Captain Powell, my Persian Interpreter, and the other officers of my personal Staff.

The nature of the country in which we are serving, prevents the possibility of my sending a single Staff

officer to deliver this to your Lordship, otherwise I should have asked my Aid-de-Camp, Lieutenant Keane, to proceed to Simla, to deliver this dispatch into your hands, and to have afforded any further information that your Lordship could have desired.

The brilliant triumph we have obtained, the cool courage displayed, and the gallant bearing of the troops I have the honour to command, will have taught such a lesson to our enemies in the Afghan nation, as will make them hereafter respect the name of a British soldier.

Our loss is wonderfully small considering the occasion; the casualties in killed and wounded amount to about two hundred.

The loss of the enemy is immense, we have already buried of their dead nearly five hundred, together with an immense number of horses.

I enclose a list of the killed, wounded, and missing. I am happy to say that although the wounds of some of the officers are severe, they are all doing well.

It is my intention, after selecting a garrison for this place and establishing a general hospital, to continue my march to Cabool forthwith.



List of Killed, Wounded, and Missing in the Army under the Command of Lieutenant-General Sir John Keane, before Ghuznee, on the 21st July 1839.

- 2d Troop Bengal Horse Artillery—3 horses wounded.
- 3d Troop Bombay Horse Artillery—2 rank and file, 2 horses, wounded.
- 4th Troop Bombay Horse Artillery—1 horse killed.
- 2d Regt. Bengal Cavalry—1 horse killed; 1 rank and file wounded.
- 4th Bengal Local Horse—1 rank and file, 1 horse, missing.

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H. M. 13th Light Infantry—1 rank and file killed.
 16th Bengal Native Infantry—1 captain wounded.
 48th Bengal Native Infantry—1 lieutenant, 2 rank
 and file, wounded.

Total Killed—1 rank and file, 2 horses.

Total Wounded—1 captain, 1 lieutenant, 5 rank
 and file, 6 horses.

Total Missing—1 rank and file, 1 horse.

Names of Officers wounded.

Captain Graves, 16th Bengal native infantry,
 severely.

Lieutenant Vanhomrigh, 48th Bengal native in-
 fantry, slightly.

R. MACDONALD, Lieut. Col. Military
 Secretary, and Deputy Adjutant-General,
 Her Majesty's Forces Bombay.

*List of Killed, Wounded, and Missing in the Army
 under the Command of Lieutenant-General Sir
 John Keane, G. C. B. and G. C. H. in the Assault
 and Capture of the Fortress and Citadel of
 Ghuznee, on the 23d July 1839.*

General Staff—1 colonel, 1 major, wounded.

3d Troop Bombay Horse Artillery—1 rank and file
 wounded.

4th Troop Bombay Horse Artillery—1 rank and file,
 1 horse, wounded.

Bengal Engineers—3 rank and file killed; 2 rank
 and file wounded; 1 rank and file missing.

Bombay Engineers—1 lieutenant, 1 rank and file,
 wounded.

2d Bengal Light Cavalry—1 rank and file wounded.

1st Bombay Light Cavalry—1 havildar killed;
 5 rank and file, 7 horses, wounded.

H. M. 2d Foot (or Queen's Royal)—4 rank and
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file killed ; 2 captains, 4 lieutenants, 1 serjeant, 26 rank and file, wounded.

H. M. 13th Light Infantry—1 rank and file killed ; 3 serjeants, 27 rank and file, wounded.

H. M. 17th Foot—6 rank and file wounded.

Bengal European Regiment—1 rank and file killed ; 1 lieutenant-colonel, 1 major, 2 captains, 4 lieutenants, 1 ensign, 1 serjeant, 51 rank and file, wounded.

16th Bengal Native Infantry—1 havildar, 6 rank and file, wounded.

35th Bengal Native Infantry—5 rank and file killed ; 1 havildar, 8 rank and file, wounded.

48th Bengal Native Infantry—2 havildars killed ; 5 rank and file wounded.

Total Killed—3 serjeants or havildars, 14 rank and file.

Total Wounded—1 colonel, 1 lieutenant-colonel, 2 majors, 4 captains, 8 lieutenants, 2 ensigns, 7 serjeants or havildars, 140 rank and file, 8 horses.

Total Missing—1 rank and file.

Grand Total, on the 21st and 23d July,
Killed, Wounded, and Missing—191 officers
and men, 16 horses.

Names of Officers killed, wounded, and missing.

General Staff—Brigadier Sale, H. M. 13th Light Infantry, slightly ; Major Parsons, Deputy Commissary-General, slightly.

Bombay Engineers—Second Lieutenant Marriott, slightly.

H. M. 2d Foot (or Queen's Royal)—Captain Raitt, slightly ; Captain Robinson, severely ; Lieutenant Yonge, severely ; Lieutenant Stisted, slightly ; Adjutant Simmons, slightly ; Quartermaster Hadley, slightly.

Bengal

Bengal European Regiment—Lieutenant-Colonel Orchard, slightly ; Major Warren, severely ; Captain Hay, slightly ; Captain Taylor, slightly ; Lieutenant Broadfoot, slightly ; Lieutenant Haslewood, severely ; Lieutenant Fagan, slightly ; Lieutenant Magnay, slightly ; Ensign Jacob, slightly.

R. MACDONALD, Lieut. Col. Military Secretary, and Deputy Adjutant-General, Her Majesty's Forces Bombay.

Head Quarters, Camp Ghuznee, 23rd July 1839.

GENERAL ORDER,

By his Excellency Lieutenant-General Sir John Keane, Commander in Chief of the army of the Indus.

Lieutenant-General Sir John Keane most heartily congratulates the army he has the honor to command on the signal triumph they have this day obtained in the capture by storm of the strong and important fortress of Ghuznee. His Excellency feels that he can hardly do justice to the gallantry of the troops.

The scientific and successful manner in which the Cabool gate (of great strength) was blown up by Captain Thomson, of the Bengal engineers, the chief of that department with this army, in which he reports having been most ably assisted by Captain Peat, of the Bombay engineers, and Lieutenants Durand and Macleod of the Bengal engineers, in the daring and dangerous enterprize of laying down powder in the face of the enemy, and the strong fire kept upon them, reflects the highest credit on their skill and cool courage ; and his Excellency begs Captain Thomson, and officers named, will accept his cordial thanks. His acknowledgments are also due to the other officers of engineers of both Presidencies, and to the valuable corps of sappers and miners under them. This opening having been made,

made, although it was a difficult one to enter by, from the rubbish in the way, the leading column, in a spirit of true gallantry, directed and led by Brigadier Sale, gained a footing inside the fortress, although opposed by the Afghan soldiers in very great strength, and in the most desperate manner, with every kind of weapon.

The advance under Lieutenant-Colonel Dennie, of Her Majesty's 13th, consisted of the light companies of Her Majesty's 2nd and 17th, and of the Bengal European regiment, with one company of Her Majesty's 13th, and the leading column, consisted of Her Majesty's 2nd Queen's, under Major Carruthers, and the Bengal European regiment under Lieutenant-Colonel Orchard, followed by Her Majesty's 13th light infantry, as they collected from the duty of skirmishing, which they were directed to begin with, and by Her Majesty's 17th, under Lieutenant-Colonel Croker.

To all these officers, and to the other officers and gallant soldiers under their orders, his Excellency's best thanks are tendered, but in particular, he feels deeply indebted to Brigadier Sale for the manner in which he conducted the arduous duty intrusted to him in command of the storming party. His Excellency will not fail to bring it to the notice of his Lordship the Governor-General, and he trusts the wound which Brigadier Sale has received, is not of that severe nature long to deprive this army of his services. Brigadier Sale reports that Captain Kershaw of Her Majesty's 13th light infantry, rendered important assistance to him, and to the service, in the storming.

Sir John Keane was happy, on this proud occasion, to have the assistance of his old comrade Major General Sir Willoughby Cotton, who, in command of the reserve, ably executed the instructions he had received, and was at the gate ready to enter after the storming party had established themselves in-

inside, when he moved through to sweep the ramparts, and to complete the subjugation of the place, with the 16th Bengal Native Infantry under Major Maclaren, Brigadier Roberts with the 35th Native Infantry under Lieutenant Colonel Monteath, and the 48th native infantry under Lieutenant Colonel Wheeler. His arrangements afterwards, in continuation of those Brigadier Sale had made, for the security of the magazine and other public stores, were such as met his Excellency's high approval.

The Commander in Chief acknowledges the services rendered by Captain Hay, of the 35th native infantry, in command of three companies of that regiment sent to the south side of the fortress to begin with a false attack, and which was executed at the proper time, and in a manner highly satisfactory to his Excellency.

Nothing could be more judicious than the manner in which Brigadier Stevenson placed the artillery in position. Captain Grant's troop of Bengal artillery, and camel battery under Captain Abbott, both superintended by Major Pew, the two troops of Bombay horse artillery, commanded by Captains Martin and Cotgrave, and Captain Lloyd's battery of Bombay foot artillery, all opened upon the citadel and fortress in a manner which shook the enemy, and did such execution as completely to paralyze and to strike terror into them, and his Excellency begs Brigadier Stevenson, the officers and men of that arm, will accept his thanks for their good service.

The 19th regiment Bombay native infantry, under the command of Lieutenant Colonel Stalker, having been placed in position to watch any enemy that might appear on the Cabool road, or approach to attack the camp, had an important post assigned to them, although, as it happened, no enemy made an attack upon them.

In sieges and stormings, it does not fall to the lot of cavalry to bear the same conspicuous part as
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to the other two arms of the profession; on this occasion Sir John Keane is happy to have an opportunity of thanking Major Thackwell, and the officers and men of the cavalry divisions under his orders, for having successfully executed the directions given, to sweep the plain and to intercept fugitives of the enemy attempting to escape from the fort, in any direction around it; and, had an enemy appeared, for the relief of the place during the storming, his Excellency is fully satisfied that the different regiments of this fine arm would have distinguished themselves, and that the opportunity alone was wanting.

Major General Willshire's division having been broken up for the day, to be distributed as it was, the Major General was desired to be in attendance upon the Commander in Chief. To him and to the officers of the Adjutant and Quartermaster General's department of the Bengal and Bombay army, his Excellency returns his warmest thanks for the assistance they have afforded him.

The Commander in Chief feels, and in which feeling he is sure he will be joined by the troops composing the army of the Indus, that after the long and harassing marches they have had, and the privations they have endured, this glorious achievement, and the brilliant manner in which the troops have met and conquered their enemy, reward them for it all. His Excellency will only add, no army that has ever been engaged in a campaign deserves more credit than that which he has the honour to command, for patient, orderly, and correct conduct, under all circumstances, and Sir John Keane is proud to have the opportunity of thus publicly acknowledging it.

By order of his Excellency, Lieutenant-General
Sir JOHN KEANE, Commander in Chief of
the army of the Indus,

R. MACDONALD, Lieut.-Colonel, Military
Secretary, and Deputy Adjut.-Gen. Her
Majesty's Forces, Bombay.

From

From the Governor in Council at Bombay.

WE have the highest gratification in forwarding copies of the two letters from his Excellency Sir John Keane, dated the 3d and 8th ultimo, in the latter of which communications (written from Cabool) his Excellency states that His Majesty Shah Shooja-ool-Moolk entered his capital on the preceding afternoon without opposition, accompanied by himself, Mr. Macnaghten the British Envoy and Minister at His Majesty's Court, the gentlemen of the mission, and the general and staff officers of the army of the Indus, escorted by squadrons of Her Majesty's 4th light dragoons and 16th lancers, and a troop of horse artillery.

It appears that the news of the quick and determined manner in which we took possession of Ghuznee, completely paralyzed the population of Cabool, and Dost Mahomed's army; and that, on the evening of the 2d ultimo, all his hopes were terminated by a division in his camp, and the greater part of his army abandoning him; and finding that our army was fast advancing upon him, and that all opposition with the slender force which remained with him would be but useless, Dost Mahomed fled, and, with such precipitancy, that he left behind him his guns with their ammunition and waggons, and the greater part of the cattle by which they were drawn.

On the 8th ultimo, the encampment of the army was about three miles from Cabool to the north west; but Sir John Keane states that it was his intention to move the camp on the following day to about five miles west of the city, and between it and Killa Hazee.

The conduct of the army under Sir John Keane, both European and Native, has, his Excellency states, been admirable throughout, and that notwithstanding

the severe marching and privations they have gone through, their appearance and discipline have suffered nothing, and the opportunity afforded them at Ghuznee of meeting and conquering their enemy has added greatly to their good spirits.

P.S.—Since this dispatch was signed, the accompanying letter from Mr. Maddock, dated the 26th ultimo, has reached this Government.

From T. H. Maddock, Esq. Secretary with the Governor-General of India, to the Secretary to the Government of Bombay, dated at Simla, August 26, 1839.

SIR,

I AM desired by the Right Honourable the Governor-General of India to forward, for the information of the Governor in Council, a copy of a notification, this day issued by order of his Lordship, together with copies of the papers noted in the margin*.

I have, &c.

T. H. MADDOCK.

* Copy of a letter from his Excellency Lieutenant-General Sir John Keane, and the Envoy and Minister to the Court of Shah Shooja-ool-Moolk, dated 3d August 1839.

Extract from a letter from his Excellency Lieutenant-General Sir John Keane, dated 8th August 1839.

Extract from a letter from the Envoy and Minister to the Court of Shah Shooja-ool-Moolk, dated the 9th August 1839.

Simla, August 26, 1839.

THE Governor-General of India publishes, for general information, the subjoined copy and extracts of dispatches, from his Excellency the Commander in Chief of the Army of the Indus, and from the Envoy and Minister at the Court of His Majesty Shah Shooja-ool Moolk, announcing the triumphant entry of the Shah into Cabool, on the 7th instant.

In issuing this notification the Governor-General cannot omit the opportunity of offering to the Officers and men composing the army of the Indus, and to the distinguished leader by whom they have been commanded, the cordial congratulations of the Government, upon the happy result of a campaign which, on the sole occasion when resistance was opposed to them, has been gloriously marked by victory, and in all the many difficulties of which the character of a British army for gallantry, good conduct and discipline, has been nobly maintained.

A salute of twenty-one guns will be fired on the receipt of this intelligence, at all the principal stations of the army in the three Presidencies.

By order of the Right Honourable the Governor-General of India,

T. H. MADDOCK, Officiating Secretary to
the Government of India with the Governor
General.

From Lieutenant-General Sir John Keane, and the Envoy and Minister at the Court of Shah Shooja, to the Governor-General of India, dated Headquarters, Camp, Shikarbad, August 3, 1839.

MY LORD,

WE have the honour to acquaint your Lordship, that the army marched from Ghuznee, en route to Cabool, in two columns, on the 30th and 31st ultimo; His Majesty Shah Shooja-ool-Moolk with his own troops forming part of the second column.

On the arrival of the Commander in Chief with the first column at Hyder Khail, on the 1st instant, information reached him, and the same reached the Envoy and Minister at Huft Asaya, that Dost Mahomed with his army and artillery were advancing from Cabool, and would probably take up a position at Urghundee or Midan, the former twenty-four, the latter thirty-six, miles from Cabool. Upon this it was arranged that His Majesty, with the second column, under Major-General Willshire, should join the first column here, and advance together to attack Dost Mahomed, whose son, Mahomed Akhbar, had been recalled from Jelalabad, with the troops guarding the Khyber Pass, and had formed a junction with his father; their joint forces, according to our information, amounting to about thirteen thousand men.

Every arrangement was made for the King and the army marching in body from here to-morrow; but in the course of the night messengers arrived, and since (this morning) a great many chiefs and their followers, announcing the dissolution of Dost Mahomed's army by the refusal of the greater part to advance against us, with him, and that he had in consequence fled with a party of 300 horsemen in the direction of Bameean, leaving his guns behind him, in position as they were placed at Urghundee.

His

His Majesty Shah Shooja has sent forward a confidential officer, with whom has been associated Major Cureton, of Her Majesty's 16th lancers, taking with him a party of 200 men and an officer of artillery, to proceed direct to take possession of those guns, and afterwards such other guns and public stores, as may be found in Cabool and the Bala Hissar, in the name of, and for, His Majesty Shah Shooja-ool-Moolk, and the King's orders will be carried by his own officers with this party, for preserving the tranquillity of the city of Cabool.

A strong party has been detached in pursuit of Dost Mahomed under some of our most active officers. We continue our march upon Cabool tomorrow, and will reach it on the third day.

We have, &c.

JOHN KEANE, Lieut.-Gen.

Commander in Chief.

W. H. MACNAGHTEN, Envoy and Minister.

Extract from a Letter from his Excellency Lieutenant General Sir John Keane, G. C. B. and G. C. H., dated Head-Quarters, Camp, Cabool, 8th August 1839.

IT gives me infinite pleasure to be able to address my dispatch to your Lordship from this capital, the vicinity of which His Majesty Shah Shooja-ool-Moolk, and the army under my command, reached the day before yesterday. The King entered his capital yesterday afternoon, accompanied by the British Envoy and Minister and the gentlemen of the mission, and by myself, the Generals and Staff Officers of this Army, and escorted by a squadron of Her Majesty's 4th light dragoons, and one of Her Majesty's 16th lancers, with Captain Martin's troop of horse artillery. His Majesty had expressed a wish

wish that British troops should be present on the occasion, and a very small party only of his own Hindoostanee and Afghan troops. After the animating scene of traversing the streets, and reaching the palace in the Bala Hissar, a royal salute was fired, and an additional salvo, in the Afghan style from small guns resembling wall pieces, named ginjalls, and carried on camels. We heartily congratulated His Majesty on being in possession of the throne and kingdom of His ancestors, and upon the overthrow of his enemies, and after taking leave of His Majesty, we returned to our camp.

I trust we have thus accomplished all the objects which your Lordship had in contemplation, when you planned and formed the Army of the Indus, and the expedition into Afghanistan.

The conduct of the Army, both European and Native, which your Lordship did me the honour to place under my orders, has been admirable throughout, and notwithstanding the severe marching and privations they have gone through, their appearance and discipline have suffered nothing, and the opportunity afforded them at Ghuznee, of meeting and conquering their enemy, has added greatly to their good spirits.

The joint dispatch addressed by Mr. Macnaghten and myself to your Lordship, on the 3d instant, from Shikarbad, will have informed you, that at the moment we had made every preparation to attack (on the following day) Dost Mahomed Khan in his position at Urghundee, where, after his son, Mahomed Akhbar, had joined him from Jelalabad, he had an army amounting to thirteen thousand men, well armed and appointed, and thirty pieces of artillery, we suddenly learnt that he abandoned them all, and fled with a party of horsemen on the road to Bameean, leaving his guns in position as he had placed them to receive our attack.

It appears that a great part of his army, which
was

was hourly becoming disorganised, refused to stand by him in the position to receive our attack, and that it soon became in a state of dissolution. The great bulk immediately came over to Shah Shooja, tendering their allegiance, and I believe His Majesty will take most of them into his pay.

It seems that the news of the quick and determined manner in which we took their strong hold, Ghuznee, had such an effect upon the population of Cabool, and perhaps also upon the enemy's army, that Dost Mahomed, from that moment, began to lose hope of retaining his rule for even a short time longer, and sent off his family and valuable property towards Bameean, but marched out of Cabool with his army and artillery, keeping a bold front towards us until the evening of the 2d, when all his hopes were at end by a division in his own camp, and one part of his army abandoning him. So precipitate was his flight, that he left in position his guns, with their ammunition and waggons, and the greater part of the cattle by which they were drawn. Major Cureton, of Her Majesty's 16th lancers, with his party of two hundred men, pushed forward on the 3d, and took possession of those guns, &c. There were twenty-three brass guns in position loaded, two more at a little distance, which they attempted to take away, and since then three more abandoned still further off on the Bameean-road, thus leaving in our possession twenty-eight pieces of cannon, with all the materiel belonging to them, which are now handed over to Shah Shooja-ool-Moolk.

Extract from a Letter from Envoy and Minister to the Court of Shah Shooja-ool-Moolk, dated Cabool, August 9, 1839.

BY a letter signed jointly by his Excellency Lieutenant-General Sir John Keane and myself, dated the 3d instant, the Right Honourable the Governor-General was apprised of the flight of Dost Mahomed Khan.

The Ex-chief was not accompanied by any person of consequence, and his followers are said to have been reduced to below the number of one hundred on the day of his departure. In the progress of Shah Shooja-ool-Moolk towards Cabool, His Majesty was joined by every person of rank and influence in the country, and he made his triumphal entry into the city on the evening of the 7th instant. His Majesty has taken up his residence in the Bala Hissar, where he has required the British Mission to remain for the present.

FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of NOVEMBER 5,
1839.

Whitehall, November 2, 1839.

THE Queen has been pleased to direct letters patent to be passed under the Great Seal of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, constituting and appointing the Right Honourable William Viscount Melbourne; the Right Honourable Francis Thornhill Baring; Robert Steuart, Esq.; John Parker, Esq.; Thomas Wyse, Esq.; and Henry Tufnell, Esq.; Her Majesty's Commissioners for executing the offices of Treasurer of the Exchequer of Great Britain and Lord High Treasurer of Ireland.

FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of NOVEMBER 8,
1839.

Lord Chamberlain's-Office, November 1, 1839.

THE Lord Chamberlain of Her Majesty's Household has appointed Stewart Henry Paget, Esq. one of the Grooms of Her Majesty's Most Honourable Privy Chamber in Ordinary, in the room of William Chapman Fowle, Esq. deceased.

FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of NOVEMBER 15,
1839.

THE names of those who were nominated for Sheriffs by the Lords of the Council, at the Exchequer, on the morrow of Saint Martin, in the third year of the reign of Queen Victoria, and in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and thirty-nine :

<i>Bedfordshire,</i>	Arthur Macnamara, of Eaton Bray, Esq. William Frederick Brown, of Dunstable, Esq. William Sutcliffe, of Great Bram- ingham, Esq.
<i>Berkshire,</i>	Henry Hippesley, of Lamborn- Place, Esq. John Jesse Bulkeley, of Lindon- Hill, Esq. Sir Henry Russell, of Swallow- field, Bart.
<i>Buckinghamshire,</i>	John Peter Deering, of the Lee, Esq. John Frederick Crewe, of Lokes- Hall, High Wycombe, Esq. Thomas Newland Allen, of the Vache, Chalfont St. Giles, Esq.
<i>'Camb' & Hunt'.</i>	Thomas Mortlock, of Little Abingdon, Esq.

Ed-

Edward Humphreys Greene, of
Hinxton, Esq.

John Slack, of Soham, Esq.

Cheshire,

Charles Lawton, of Lawton,
Esq.

John Tollemache, of Tilstone-
Lodge, Esq.

James Walthall Hammond, of
Wistaston, Esq.

Cornwall,

Henry Lewis Stephens, of Tre-
genna-Castle, Esq.

Sir Richard Rawlinson Vyvyan,
of Treloarwarren, Bart.

William Henry Pole Carew, of
East Anthony, Esq.

Cumberland,

Sir George Musgrave, of Eden-
Hall, Bart.

James Robertson Walker, of
Gilgarran, Esq.

Fletchville Lawson Ballantine
Dykes, of Dovenby-Hall,
Esq.

Derbyshire,

William John Bagshaw, of the
Oaks, Esq.

Thomas Pares, of Hopewell,
Esq.

Sir Henry Hunloke, of Winger-
worth, Bart.

Devonshire,

Augustus Stowey, of Tenbury,
Esq.

Charles Gordon, of Wiscombe-
Park, Esq.

John Crocker Bulteel, of Fleet,
Esq.

Dorsetshire,

John Samuel Wanley Sawbridge
Erle Drax, of Charborough-
Park, Esq.

- William Charles Lambert, of
Knowle-Cottage, Corfe Mau-
len, Esq.
- Durham,* John Hussey, of Markhill, Esq.
Sir Hedworth Williamson, of
Whitburn, Bart.
William Russell, of Brancepath-
Castle, Esq.
Robert Eden Dancombe Safto,
of Whitworth-Park, Esq.
- Essex,* Christopher Thomas Tower, of
Weald-Hall, Esq.
Abraham Johnson, of Bewick-
Place, Esq.
John Archer Houblon, of Hall-
ingbury-Place, Esq.
- Gloucestershire,* Sir Michael Hicks Hicks Beach,
of Williamstrip Park, Bart.
Edmund Hopkinson, of Edg-
worth, Esq.
James Woodbridge Walters, of
Barnwood-House, Esq.
- Herefordshire,* Thomas Heywood, of Hopend,
Esq.
Robert Lane, of Ryelands, Esq.
William Barneby, of Clater,
Esq.
- Hertfordshire,* Charles Snell Chauncey, of Little
Munden, Esq.
George Gould Morgan, of Brick-
dudonbury, Esq.
John Bennet Laws, of Roth-
ampsted, Esq.
- Kent,* Charles Milner, of Preston-Hall,
Esq.
Edward Hussey, of Scotney-
Castle, Esq.

Arthur Pott, of Bentham-Hill,
Esq.

Leicestershire,

Sir George Joseph Palmer, of
Wanlip, Bart.

Richard Mitchell, of Enderby,
Esq.

John Bainbrigge Story, of Lock-
ington, Esq.

Lincolnshire,

Thomas George Corbett, of
Elsham, Esq.

Sir Edward Brackenbury, of
Skendleby, Knt.

Sir John Charles Thorold, of
Syston-House, Bart.

Monmouthshire,

Samuel Homfray, of Bedwelty,
Esq.

Summers Harford, of Sirhowy,
Esq.

John Etherington Welch Rolls,
of the Hendre, Esq.

Norfolk,

William Howe Wyndham, of
Fellbrigg, Esq.

Henry Villebois, of Marham-
House, Esq.

Sir John Jacob Buxton, of Shad-
well, Bart.

Northamptonshire,

Thomas Alderson Cooke, of
Peterborough, Esq.

Frederick William Vernon Went-
worth, of Stoke-Park, Esq.

Robert Sackett Tomlins, of
Fotheringhay-Castle, Esq.

Northumberland,

William Lawson, of Longhirst,
Esq.

Sir Matthew White Ridley, of
Blagdon, Bart.

Wil-

- William Hodgson Cadogan, of
Brinkburn Priory, Esq.
- Nottinghamshire,* Thomas Dickenson Hall, of
Whatton, Esq.
Sir Jukes Granville Jukes Clifton,
of Clifton, Bart.
Henry Smith, of Welford, Esq.
- Oxfordshire,* Hugh Hammersley, of Aston,
Esq.
John Shawe Phillips, of Culham,
Esq.
Henry Vanderstegen, of Cane-
End, Esq.
- Rutlandshire,* Samuel Richard Fydell, of
Morcott, Esq.
Joseph Tomblin, of Leighfield,
Esq.
Richard Westbrook Baker, of
Cottesmore, Esq.
- Shropshire,* Sir Andrew Vincent Corbett, of
Acton Reynold, Bart.
Thomas Eyton, of Eyton,
Esq.
The Honourable Gustavus Fre-
derick Hamilton, of Bur-
warton.
- Somersetshire,* John Jarratt, of Camerton,
Esq.
William Francis Knatchbull, of
Babington, Esq.
Robert Charles Tudway, of the
city of Wells, Esq.
- Staffordshire,* Edmund Wigan, of Lapley, Esq.
Henry John Pye, of Clifton-
Hall, Esq.
Edward Grove, of Shenstone-
Park, Esq.

- County of Southampton,* } George Henry Ward, of North-
wood-Park, Esq.
John Meggott Elwes, of Boss-
ington-House, Stockbridge,
Esq.
Horatio Francis Kingsford Hol-
loway, of Marchwood-Lodge,
Southampton, Esq.
- Suffolk,* George St. Vincent Wilson, of
Redgrave, Esq.
Sir Joshua Ricketts Rowley, of
Tendrigg-Hall, Bart.
Edward Bridgrain, of Coney
Weston, Esq.
- Surrey,* William Leveson Gower, of Tit-
sey-Place, Oxted, Esq.
The Honourable Peter Locke
King, of Woburn-Park.
Charles Barclay, of Bury-Hill,
Esq.
- Sussex,* John Davies Gilbert, of East-
bourne, Esq.
Sir Richard Hunter, of Patching,
Knt.
George Wyndham, of Petworth,
Esq.
- Warwickshire,* Dempster Heming, of Caldecott,
Esq.
Kceling Greenway, of Warwick,
Esq.
John Little, of Newbold Pacey,
Esq.
- Wiltshire,* William Henry Fox Talbot, of
Lacock-Abbey, Esq.
John Edward Andrew Starkey,
of Spyc-Park, Esq.

	Ambrose Hussey, of Salisbury, Esq.
<i>Worcestershire,</i>	James Foster, of Stourbridge, Esq.
	Thomas Charles Hornyold, of Blackmore-Park, Esq.
	Edward Holland, of Linchwick, Esq.
<i>Yorkshire,</i>	Sir Thomas Aston Clifford Con- stable, of Burton Constable, Bart.
	Robert Milnes, of Bawtry, Esq.
	The Honourable Sir Edward Marmaduke Vavasour, of Hazlewood.

A List of Gentlemen nominated to serve the office of Sheriff for the several counties in the principality of Wales, for the year 1840 :

<i>Anglesey,</i>	Sir Richard Bulkeley Williams Bulkeley, of Baron-Hill, Bart.
	Thomas Asheton Smith, of Trefarther, Esq.
	John Williams, of Trefos, Esq.
<i>Breconshire,</i>	Richard Douglas Gough, of Yniscedwen, Esq.
	Howel Jones Williams, of Corty Mawr, Esq.
	William Bevan, of Gannaal, Esq.
<i>Cardiganshire,</i>	John William Lewis, of Llan- ceydon, Esq.

Alban Thomas Davies, of
Tyglyn, Esq.

David Davies, of Cardigan,
Esq.

Carmarthenshire, John Mears, of Llanstephen-
Place, Esq.

John Lloyd Price, of Glanz-
welly, Esq.

William Peel, of Taliaris, Esq.

Carnarvonshire, The Honourable Edward Mostyn
Lloyd Mostyn, of Plas-Flen.

Sir Love Parry Jones Parry, of
Madryn, Knt.

Edward Lloyd, of Tymauz-
Llysfaen, Esq.

Denbighshire, Townshend Mainwaring, of
Marchweil-Hall, Esq.

The Honourable Edward Mos-
tyn Lloyd Mostyn, of
Bodidrist.

John Bamford Hesketh, of
Bryndulas, Esq.

Flintshire, William Shipley Conway, of
Bodryddan, Esq.

William John Banks, of Sough-
ton-Hall, Esq.

Sir William Lewis Salusbury
Trelawney, of Ledbrooke,
Bart.

Glamorganshire, Charles George Calland, of Upper
Forest, Esq.

Michael Williams, of Morfa,
Esq.

John Bruce Pryce, of Duffryn,
Esq.

Merionethshire, George Lloyd, of Plasqudre,
Esq.

Edward Griffith, of Gwastradryn,
Esq.

Lewis Williams, of Fromrtinion,
Esq.

Montgomeryshire, Thomas Evans, of Maenol,
Esq.

John Vaughan, of Cefndu, Esq.
Sir John Roger Kynaston, of
Hardwick, Bart.

Pembrokeshire, Richard Llewellyn, of Treg-
wynt, Esq.

John Llewellyn Puxley, of
Tenby, Esq.

Thomas Lloyd, of Killrhew,
Esq.

Radnorshire, Edward Rogers, of Stanage-
Park, Esq.

Francis Phillips, of Abbey Cwm-
lie, Esq.

George Cornwall Lewis, of
Harpton-Court, Esq.

COURT OF QUEEN'S BENCH.

Michaelmas Term, 1839.—3d Victoria.

15th November 1839.

This Court, will, on the 26th instant, hold Sittings, and will proceed in disposing of the business in the Peremptory Paper on that day; and in the New Trial Paper on the 27th and 28th instant; and in the Special Paper on the 29th and 30th instant; and, on the last-mentioned day, will give Judgment in Cases previously argued.

By the Court.

FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of NOVEMBER 19,
1839.

At the Court at *Windsor*, the 15th day of
November 1839,

PRESENT,

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

HER Majesty having been pleased to appoint the Right Honourable Hugh Lord Fortescue (commonly called Viscount Ebrington) to be Lord Lieutenant and Custos Rotulorum of the county of Devon, his Lordship this day took the Oaths appointed to be taken thereupon, instead of the Oath of Allegiance and Supremacy.

At the Court at *Windsor*, the 15th day of
November 1839,

PRESENT,

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS by an Act, passed in the seventh year of the reign of His late Majesty King William the Fourth, intituled "An Act for rendering more easy the taking the poll at county elections," it was enacted, that it should be lawful for His Majesty, by and with the advice
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of His Privy Council, from time to time, on petition from the justices of any county, riding, parts, or division in England or Wales, in quarter sessions assembled, representing, that the number of polling places for such county, riding, parts, or division is insufficient, and praying, that the place or places mentioned in the said petition may be a polling place or polling places for the county, riding, parts or division of the county within which such place or places is or are situate, to declare that any place or places mentioned in the said petition should be a polling place or polling places for that county, riding, parts, or division; and that the justices of the peace for such county, riding, parts, or division, in quarter sessions or some special sessions assembled, as mentioned in the Act, passed in the third year of the reign of His said late Majesty, intituled “An Act to settle and determine the division of counties, and the limits of cities and boroughs, in England and Wales, in so far as respects the election of Members to serve in Parliament,” should, conformably to the said last-mentioned Act, divide such county, riding, parts, or division into convenient polling districts, and assign one of such districts to each polling place :

And whereas the justices of the peace for the west riding of the county of York, assembled at the quarter sessions for the said riding, holden at Knaresborough on the fifteenth day of October one thousand eight hundred and thirty-nine, have presented their petition to Her Majesty, representing that the number of polling places for the west riding of the said county is insufficient, and therefore praying, that the town of Gisburn may be a polling place for the said west riding of the said county :

Now, therefore, Her Majesty, having taken the said petition into consideration, doth, pursuant to the said Act of the seventh year of His late

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Majesty's reign, by and with the advice of Her Privy Council, declare, order, and direct, that the said place mentioned in the said petition, namely, Gisburn, shall be a polling place for the west riding of the said county of York; and further, that the justices of the peace for the said riding, assembled in quarter sessions or some special sessions, as mentioned in the said Act of the third year of His said late Majesty's reign, shall, conformably to the said last-mentioned Act, divide the said west riding of the said county into convenient polling districts, and assign one of such districts to each polling place.

C. C. Greville.

FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of NOVEMBER 22,
1839.

*Board of Green Cloth, St. James's Palace,
November 21, 1839.*

THE Queen has been pleased to appoint the Earl of Erroll, K. T. G. C. H. Lord Steward of Her Majesty's Household, vice his Grace the late Duke of Argyll.

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Foreign-Office, November 20, 1839.

The Queen has been graciously pleased to appoint the Honourable Charles Spencer Cowper to be Secretary to Her Majesty's Legation at Florence.

War-Office, 22d November 1839.

GARRISONS.

Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel John Gurwood, on half-pay Unattached, to be Deputy Lieutenant of the Tower of London, vice Major-General Sir Francis Hastings Doyle, deceased. Dated 15th November 1839.

Captain John Hankey Bainbrigge, on half-pay of the 41st Foot, to be Fort Major and Adjutant of Guernsey, vice Martin, who resigns. Dated 22d November 1839.

TREASURY MINUTE for regulating the RATES of POSTAGE.

WHEREAS by an Act, passed in the last session of Parliament, intituled "An Act for the further regulation of the Duties on Postage, until the 5th day of October 1840," power is given to the Lords Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury, or any three of them, by warrant under their hands, to alter, fix, reduce, or remit all or any of the rates of British or Inland or other Postage payable by law on the transmission of Post Letters, and to subject such letters to rates of postage according to the weight thereof, and a scale of weight to be contained in such warrant (without reference to the distance or number of miles the same may be conveyed),

veyed), and to fix and limit the weight of letters to be sent by the Post; and, from time to time, by warrant as aforesaid, to alter or repeal any such altered or reduced rates, and make and establish any new or other rates in lieu thereof; and, from time to time, by warrant as aforesaid, to appoint at what time the rates which may be payable are to be paid, that is to say, whether on posting the letter or on the receipt thereof, or at either of those times, at the option of the sender; provided, that all such warrants should be inserted in the London Gazette ten days, at least, before coming into operation, and should, within fourteen days after making the same, be laid before both Houses of Parliament (if then sitting), or otherwise, within fourteen days after Parliament should meet:

And whereas an Act was passed in the first year of the reign of Her present Majesty, chapter 34, intituled "An Act for the regulation of the Duties of Postage;" and another Act was passed in the same session, chapter 76, intituled "An Act to impose rates of Packet Postage on East India Letters, and to amend certain Acts relating to the Post Office;" and another Act was passed in the first and second years of the reign of Her present Majesty, chapter 97, intituled "An Act for imposing rates of Postage on the Conveyance of Letters by Packet Boats, between places in the Mediterranean, and other parts."

Now, we the undersigned (being three of the Lords Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury), do, in exercise of the power or authority in us for such purpose vested in and by the said first-mentioned Act, and of all other powers enabling us in this behalf, by this warrant, under our hands, order and direct, that this present warrant shall come into operation on the 5th day of December next, and that all Letters (not being by law specially exempted from Postage), which, on or after that day shall be
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posted in any town or place within the United Kingdom, or within any of the Islands of Jersey, Guernsey, Alderney, Sark, and Man, or shall be brought from parts beyond the seas to any port or place within the United Kingdom, or the said Islands, by any packet boat or private vessel, shall be subject to the several regulations and rates hereinafter contained.

And we further order and direct, that, on and after the said 5th day of December next, the present practice of charging the rates of Postage on Letters transmitted by the General Post, consisting of more than one sheet of paper, or containing any enclosure, shall be wholly discontinued; and thenceforth all Letters, of whatever description, transmitted through the General Post, and legally chargeable with Postage, shall be charged by weight, as hereinafter mentioned.

And we hereby fix and limit the following scale of weight of Letters to be transmitted through the General Post, and we subject such Letters, on and after the said 5th day of December next, to the following rates of Postage (that is to say):

On every Letter, not exceeding half an ounce in weight, there shall be charged and taken one rate of postage.

On every Letter, exceeding half an ounce, and not exceeding one ounce in weight, there shall be charged and taken two rates of postage.

On every Letter, exceeding one ounce, and not exceeding two ounces in weight, there shall be charged and taken four rates of postage.

On every Letter, exceeding two ounces, and not exceeding three ounces in weight, there shall be charged and taken six rates of postage.

And on every Letter, exceeding three ounces, and not exceeding four ounces in weight, there shall be charged and taken eight rates of postage; and for every ounce in weight above the weight of four ounces,

ounces, there shall be charged and taken two additional rates of postage; and every fraction of an ounce, above the weight of four ounces, shall be charged as one additional ounce.

And we order and direct, that no Letter exceeding sixteen ounces in weight shall, in any case, be forwarded by the General Post between places within the United Kingdom and the said Islands, or from the said United Kingdom and the said Islands to parts beyond the seas, except Letters franked, or by law specially exempted from postage, or Letters posted as Franks, although chargeable with postage, and except Letters forwarded by, or addressed to, some Public Office or Department, or Letters arriving in the United Kingdom, or the said Islands, from parts beyond the seas, or plantation accounts, patterns and samples of goods, deeds, books, pamphlets, and other printed papers, forwarded by Post in conformity with the regulations, from time to time, in force respecting the same, between the United Kingdom or the said Islands, and the British Colonies or Foreign parts, and except bankers' parcels forwarded pursuant to the regulations of the said Act of the first year of Her present Majesty, cap. 34.

And we hereby fix and limit the following rates of postage to be paid to Her Majesty's Postmaster-General for the use of Her Majesty, on and after the fifth day of December next, on the Letters next hereinafter mentioned, and we order and direct the same to be charged and paid accordingly (that is to say):

Inland Letters.

On all Letters not by law specially exempted from postage, and not exceeding half an ounce in weight, transmitted by the General Post between places within the United Kingdom, or between the

said Islands, or between the United Kingdom and the said Islands (not being Letters sent to or from parts beyond the seas), there shall be charged and taken one uniform rate of postage of four pence, without reference to the number of sheets or pieces of paper, or enclosures, of which the same may be comprised, or to the distance or number of miles the same shall be conveyed.

On all such Letters, if exceeding half an ounce in weight, there shall be charged and taken progressive and additional rates of postage (each additional rate being estimated at four pence) according to the scale of weight, and number of rates herein-before fixed and declared.

Packet Letters.

On all Letters, not exceeding half an ounce in weight, transmitted, by Packet Boat, between any place within the United Kingdom, or the said Islands, and any other of the British dominions or colonies (except the Cape of Good Hope, Ceylon, the Mauritius, and the East Indies), there shall be charged and taken one rate of Postage of one shilling, and if exceeding such weight, then progressive and additional rates of Postage according to the scale of weight herein-before contained, each additional rate being estimated at one shilling.

Ship Letters.

That all Letters transmitted under the authority of the Postmaster-General by private vessels or packet-boats between places in the United Kingdom, or between the United Kingdom and the said Islands, or between the said Islands, shall be considered as forwarded by the General Post between such places, and be charged accordingly.

That on all Letters transmitted by vessels not being packet-boats between the United Kingdom or the
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said Islands, and any place beyond the seas (except Ceylon, the Mauritius, the Cape of Good Hope, and the East Indies), there shall be charged and taken the rates of postage following (that is say), if posted at the port of departure within the United Kingdom or the said Islands, or if addressed to, and delivered at, the port of the ship's arrival within the United Kingdom or the said Islands, and not exceeding half an ounce in weight, one rate of eight pence; and if posted at any other place within the United Kingdom or the said Islands than the port of departure, or if addressed to, and delivered at, any other place within the United Kingdom or the said Islands than the port of the ship's arrival, and not exceeding half an ounce in weight, a rate of one shilling; and if exceeding such weight, then progressive additional rates of postage according to the scale of weight hereinbefore contained, estimating and charging each additional rate at eight pence or one shilling, respectively, as the case may be.

Foreign Letters.

That on all Foreign Letters, not exceeding half an ounce in weight, transmitted by post between the United Kingdom or the said Islands and parts beyond the seas, and on all Colonial Letters, not exceeding that weight, transmitted by post between the United Kingdom or the said Islands, and any of Her Majesty's dominions or colonies (through France), there shall be charged and taken the same rates of British postage (both inland and packet rates), as are by law now payable in respect of single letters so transmitted, (the inland rates on such letters being charged and calculated according to the distance or number of miles the same shall be conveyed, where the same are now so charged and calculated), and on every letter so transmitted, exceeding half an ounce in weight, there shall be charged and

taken progressive and additional rates of inland and packet postage according to the scale of weight hereinbefore contained, estimating and charging each rate at the amount now payable for every such single letter, and charging the inland rates as aforesaid.

East India Letters.

That on all Letters transmitted between the United Kingdom or the said Islands, and the Cape of Good Hope, Ceylon, the Mauritius, or the East Indies, there shall be charged and taken the like rates of sea postage as are now by law payable in respect of such letters, and also the like rates for the inland conveyance of such letters within the United Kingdom and the said Islands as would be payable if such letters had been transmitted by post within the United Kingdom or the said Islands, exclusively, according to the scale of weight and rates hereinbefore fixed and declared.

AND we order and direct, that all additional rates now payable by law on letters transmitted by post, to or from Ireland, by way of Holyhead, in respect of the Menai Bridge, and by way of Conway and Chester, in respect of Conway Bridge, and by way of Milford and Waterford, and also the additional rate of one halfpenny on letters conveyed by the post in any part of Scotland by a mail carriage with more than two wheels, shall, on and after the said fifth day of December next, be wholly remitted, and shall cease to be payable.

That all additional rates for Letters originally sent by the General Post, to places within the United Kingdom or the said Islands, directed beyond the limits of the delivery of the General Post, and delivered by any Twopenny Post or Penny Post, or originally sent by any Twopenny or Penny Post, and
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afterwards passing through the General Post, shall be remitted and cease to be payable, except on letters franked or exempted by law from the General Post rates, but subject to the Twopenny or Penny Post rates, which letters shall still continue liable to, and chargeable with, the Twopenny and Penny Post rates, when transmitted by any such Post.

That on all Letters not exceeding half an ounce in weight, and not being by law specially exempted from the Twopenny and Penny Post rates, transmitted by any Twopenny or Penny Post, in London or Dublin, (and not having passed through, or being intended to pass through, the General Post,) there shall, on and after the said fifth day of December next, be charged and taken a rate of one penny only, provided such postage be pre-paid at the time of posting the same. But in case any letter, not being by law specially exempted as aforesaid, transmitted by any such Twopenny or Penny Post, shall not be pre-paid when posted, or shall exceed half an ounce in weight, there shall be taken the same rate of postage as is now payable by law thereon.

That on all Letters not specially exempted from Penny Post rates, transmitted by any Penny Post in the United Kingdom, or the said Islands, other than London and Dublin, and not having passed through, or being intended to pass through, the General Post, there shall, on and after the fifth day of December next, be taken a rate of one penny as at present.

That no Letter shall be sent by any such Twopenny or Penny Post exceeding four ounces in weight, unless the same shall have originally passed, or shall be intended to pass, through the General Post; and in such last-mentioned case not exceeding the weight of sixteen ounces, unless specially authorised by this warrant as aforesaid.

That all printed newspapers, Parliamentary proceedings, printed votes and proceedings of the Colonial Legislatures, printed prices current, commercial
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lists, periodical publications posted at Falmouth, unstamped publications, bankers' parcels, patterns, samples, plantation accounts, deeds, books, pamphlets, and other printed papers, soldiers' and seamen's letters, and other letters, articles, and things which may now by law be sent by post, under certain regulations, free of postage, or at reduced rates of postage, shall continue to have the benefit of all the exemptions and privileges they now enjoy, and shall, if forwarded in conformity with such regulations, be charged with the same respective amounts of postage, as are now, by law, payable in respect thereof, subject nevertheless to all the regulations and liabilities now in force respecting the same.

That if any such newspapers, and other printed papers, letters, articles, and things (periodical publications, bankers' parcels, plantation accounts, deeds, books, and pamphlets excepted), shall become chargeable with, and liable to, the full Letter rates of Postage, such rates (and the treble duty on newspapers and other printed papers in such cases as the same shall by law become payable), shall be charged and taken according to the scale of weight and rates hereinbefore specified.

That the rates on the said periodical publications, bankers' parcels, plantation accounts, deeds, books, and pamphlets shall be charged according to the scale and limitation of weight now established and fixed, and with the same amount of Postage as would, by law, be chargeable and payable if this warrant had not been made. But in case any such rates shall exceed the rates of postage to which the said publications and articles would become liable if charged according to the scale of weight, and rates of postage hereinbefore specified, then the same shall be charged with postage under this Warrant, according to the scale and rates aforesaid, (bankers' parcels being in such last-mentioned case charged with the same amount of postage to which any other

other letters or packets of the same weight would be subject and liable, on being transmitted by the General Post.)

That on all Letters transmitted by packet-boat, between any ports in the British possessions in the West Indies, and any port in Columbia or Mexico, pursuant to the said Act of the first year of Her present Majesty, cap. 34, and on all letters transmitted by packet boat between any ports or places in the Red Sea or Persian Gulf, and the East Indies, in pursuance of the said Act of the first year of Her present Majesty, cap. 76, and on all letters transmitted by packet-boat between places in the Mediterranean and other places, pursuant to the said Act of the first and second years of Her present Majesty, cap. 97, and not exceeding half an ounce in weight respectively, there shall be taken the like rates of postage as are by law now payable in respect of such letters being single letters, and, in case the same shall exceed half an ounce in weight, there shall be taken progressive and additional rates of postage on such letters, according to the scale of weight hereinbefore contained, estimating and charging each additional rate at the amount payable for every such single letter.

And we further order and direct, that in all cases in which the rate of four pence hereby authorised to be charged on letters transmitted by the post, not exceeding half an ounce in weight, shall exceed the duty of postage which would be payable by law, according to the existing rates on single letters so transmitted in case this Warrant had not been made, there shall be taken on such letters the like rates of postage only, and no more, as would by law be payable according to the existing rates, by distance or otherwise, in respect of such single letters, and on any such letters exceeding half an ounce in weight, there shall be charged and paid the progressive additional rates, according to the scale hereinbefore contained,

estimating and charging each additional rate at the amount payable according to the existing rates, by distance or otherwise, for every such single letter: provided always, and we hereby declare, that nothing herein contained shall extend to or be in anywise construed to affect the rates of postage payable under an Act passed in the year 1764 (being the 5th Geo. 3, cap. 25) on letters transmitted by the post within or between any of the British dominions in America or the West Indies, and not passing to or from the United Kingdom or the Islands hereinbefore mentioned, or to alter the mode of charging such letters so far as such rates are now payable by law.

That on all General Post Letters posted within the United Kingdom, or the said Islands, but not including letters addressed to France (which, with reference to existing Treaties between His late Majesty King William the Fourth, or Her present Majesty, and His Majesty the King of the French, are to be excepted), if exceeding one ounce in weight, the postage shall be payable by the sender at the time of posting the same; and if any such letter shall be posted without the postage being so pre-paid, there shall be taken, on every such letter, double the postage to which such letter would otherwise have been liable according to the several and respective progressive and additional rates, and scale of weight hereinbefore mentioned; and in all other cases the rates of postage from time to time payable under this Warrant, shall be paid, and payable, in the manner prescribed and directed by the said Act of the first year of Her present Majesty, cap. 34, sec. 2.

That the terms and expressions used in this Warrant, shall be construed according to the respective interpretations of the terms and expressions contained in an Act, passed in the first year of Her present Majesty, cap. 36, intituled "An Act for consolidating the laws relative to offences against the
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Post Office of the United Kingdom, and for regulating the judicial administration of the Post Office laws, and for explaining certain terms and expressions employed in those laws," so far as those interpretations are not repugnant to the subject, or inconsistent with the context of such terms and expressions, and the Ionian Islands shall be entitled to all the benefits and advantages hereby granted in favour of Her Majesty's colonies, and the rates of Postage between such Islands and the United Kingdom, and the Islands firstly hereinbefore mentioned, shall be chargeable and payable as on Letters forwarded to and from Her Majesty's colonies.

Provided lastly, and we hereby declare, that it shall be lawful for the Lords Commissioners, for the time being, of Her Majesty's Treasury, or any three of them, by Warrant under their hands, at any time hereafter, to alter or repeal any of the rates hereby altered, or the regulations hereby made, and to make and establish any new or other rates or regulations in lieu thereof, and, from time to time, to appoint at what time the rates that may be payable, are to be paid.

As witness our hands this 22d day of November 1839.

MELBOURNE.

F. BARING.

H. TUFNELL.

FROM THE
LONDON GAZETTE EXTRAORDINARY of
NOVEMBER 23, 1839.

At the Court at *Buckingham-Palace*, the 23d day of
November 1839,

PRESENT,

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

His Royal Highness the Duke of Cambridge.

Archbishop of Canterbury.

Lord Chancellor.

Lord President.

Lord Privy Seal.

Duke of Norfolk.

Duke of Devonshire.

Duke of Montrose.

Duke of Wellington.

Marquess of Salisbury.

Marquess of Anglesey.

Marquess of Normanby.

Lord Chamberlain.

Earl of Surrey. .

Earl of Albemarle.

Earl of Jersey.

Earl of Erroll.

Earl of Tankerville.

Earl Minto.

Earl Howe.

Earl Amherst.

Earl of Durham.

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Earl Ripon.
 Viscount Castlereagh.
 Lord J. Russell.
 Viscount Strangford.
 Viscount Palmerston.
 Viscount Melbourne.
 Viscount Beresford.
 Viscount Ebrington.
 Lord Burghersh.
 Bishop of London.
 Lord Willoughby de Eresby.
 Lord Holland.
 Lord Ellenborough.
 Lord Hill.
 Lord Bexley.
 Lord Bloomfield.
 Lord Wharncliffe.
 Lord Lyndhurst.
 Lord Cowley.
 Lord Wynford.
 Lord Brougham.
 Lord Denman.
 Lord Abinger.
 Lord Ashburton.
 Lord Hatherton.
 Lord Langdale.
 Lord Monteagle.
 The Speaker.
 Honourable T. P. Courtnay.
 Hon. Henry Pierrepont.
 Sir Robert Peel, Bart.
 Sir Gore Ouseley, Bart.
 Henry Goulburn.
 Lord Chief Justice Tyndal.
 Sir William Alexander.
 Sir George Cockburn.
 Mr. Stephen Lushington.
 Mr. Herries.
 Mr. Vice Chancellor.

Sir George Murray.
 Sir Henry Hardinge.
 Sir Robert Adair.
 Sir Brook Taylor
 Honourable Thomas Erskine.
 Sir Edward Hyde East, Bart.
 Sir John Cam Hobhouse, Bart.
 Mr. Tennyson D'Eyncourt.
 Edward Ellice.
 Mr. Baron Parke.
 Sir Alexander Johnston.
 Mr. Justice Bosanquet.
 Sir Edward Knatchbull, Bart.
 Mr. Planta.
 Mr. Wm. Peel.
 Mr. Labouchere.
 Hon. George S. Byng.
 Dr. Lushington.
 Sir George Grey, Bart.
 Mr. Chancellor of the Exchequer.
 Mr. Macaulay.
 Mr. Croker.
 Sir James Kempt.
 Sir Charles Edward Grey.

HER Majesty being this day present in Council, was pleased to make the following Declaration, viz.

I HAVE caused you to be summoned at the present time, in order that I may acquaint you with My resolution in a matter which deeply concerns the welfare of My people, and the happiness of My future life.

It is My intention to ally Myself in Marriage with the Prince Albert of Saxe Cobourg and Gotha. Deeply impressed with the solemnity of the engagement which I am about to contract, I have not come to this decision without mature consideration,
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nor without feeling a strong assurance that, with the blessing of Almighty God, it will at once secure My domestic felicity and serve the interests of My country.

I have thought fit to make this resolution known to you at the earliest period, in order that you may be fully apprised of a matter so highly important to Me and to My kingdom, and which I persuade Myself will be most acceptable to all My loving subjects.

Whereupon all the Privy Councillors present, made it their humble request to Her Majesty, that Her Majesty's Most Gracious Declaration to them might be made public; which Her Majesty was pleased to order accordingly.

C. C. Greville.

FROM THE
LONDON GAZETTE of NOVEMBER 29,
 1839.

Crown-Office, November 26, 1839.

HER Majesty has been pleased to command the issuing of the following Commissions:

VICTORIA, by the Grace of God, of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, Queen, Defender of the Faith, to Our well-beloved and faithful Councillor Charles Christopher Lord Cottenham, Chancellor of that part of Our United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland called Great Britain; Our most dear Cousin and Councillor Henry Marquess of Lansdowne, President of Our Council; Our well-beloved and faithful Councillor John William Lord Duncannon, Keeper of Our Privy Seal; Our most dear Cousins George Duke of Marlborough; George Granville Duke of Sutherland; Montagu Earl of Abingdon; Our most dear Cousins and Councillors George Earl of Macclesfield; Charles Earl Talbot; Our most dear Cousins John Earl Somers; Thomas Earl Ducie; Our well-beloved and faithful George William Lord Lyttleton; William Fitzhardinge Lord Segrave; Our beloved and faithful Capel Hanbury Leigh, Esq.; Our well-beloved and faithful Councillors Sir Nicolas Conyngham Tindal, Knight, Chief Justice of Our Court of Common Pleas; Sir James Parke, Knight, one of the Barons of Our Court of Exchequer; Our be-

beloved and faithful Sir John Williams, Knight, one of the Justices assigned to hold Pleas before Us; Ebenezer Ludlow, Serjeant at Law; John Bellamy, Esquire; William Henry Bellamy; Charles Bellamy; and Richard Alfred Goodman; Gentlemen; greeting; know ye, that We have assigned you, and any two of you (of whom one of you, the said Sir Nicolas Conyngham Tindal, Sir James Parke, Sir John Williams, and Ebenezer Ludlow, We will shall be one), Our Justices to enquire more fully the truth, by the oath of good and lawful men of Our county of Monmouth, and by other ways, means, and methods by which you shall or may better know (as well within liberties as without) by whom the truth of the matter may be the better known and enquired into, of all treasons, misprisions of treasons, insurrections, rebellions, counterfeittings, clippings, washings, false coinings, and other falsities of the money of Great Britain and other kingdoms or dominions whatsoever, and of all murthers, felonies, manslaughters, killings, burglaries, rapes of women, unlawful meetings and conventicles, unlawful uttering of words, assemblies, misprisions, confederacies, false allegations, trespasses, riots, routs, retensions, escapes, contempts, falsities, negligencies, concealments, maintenances, oppressions, champarties, deceits, and all other evil doings, offences, and injuries whatsoever, and also the accessaries of them, within the county aforesaid (as well within liberties as without), by whomsoever and in what manner soever done, committed, or perpetrated, and by whom or to whom, when, how, and after what manner, and of all other articles and circumstances concerning the premises, and every of them, in any manner whatsoever; and the said treasons and other the premises, according to the laws and customs of England, for this time to hear and determine. And, therefore, We command you, that, at a certain day and place, or at certain days

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and places, which you, or any two of you (of whom one of you, the said Sir Nicolas Conyngham Tindal, Sir James Parke, Sir John Williams, and Ebenezer Ludlow, We will shall be one), shall appoint for this purpose, you make diligent enquiries about the premises, and hear and determine all and singular the premises, and do and fulfil them in the aforesaid form, doing therein what to justice appertains, according to the laws and customs of England, saving to Us the amerciements and other things from thence to Us accruing; and We command, by the tenor of these presents, Our Sheriff of Our county of Monmouth aforesaid, that, at such day and place, or days and places, which you, or two of you (of whom one of you, the said Sir Nicolas Conyngham Tindal, Sir James Parke, Sir John Williams, and Ebenezer Ludlow, We will shall be one), shall make known to him, he cause to come before you, or two of you (of whom one of you, the said Sir Nicolas Conyngham Tindal, Sir James Parke, Sir John Williams, and Ebenezer Ludlow, We will shall be one), so many and such good and lawful men of his bailiwick (as well within liberties as without), by whom the truth of the premises may be better known and enquired into.

In witness whereof We have caused these Our letters to be made patent.—Witness Ourself, at Westminster, the nineteenth day of November, in the third year of Our reign.

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VICTORIA, by the Grace of God, of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, Queen, Defender of the Faith, to Our well-beloved and faithful Councillor Charles Christopher Lord Cottenham, Chancellor of that part of Our United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland called Great Britain; Our most dear Cousin and Councillor Henry Marquess of Lansdowne, President of Our Council; Our well-beloved and faithful Councillor John William Lord Duncannon, Keeper of Our Privy Seal; Our most dear Cousins George Duke of Marlborough; George Granville Duke of Sutherland; Montagu Earl of Abingdon; Our most dear Cousins and Councillors George Earl of Macclesfield; Charles Earl Talbot; Our most dear Cousins John Earl Somers; Thomas Earl Ducie; Our well-beloved and faithful George William Lord Lyttleton; William Fitzhardinge Lord Segrave; Our beloved and faithful Capel Hanbury Leigh, Esquire; Our well-beloved and faithful Councillors Sir Nicolas Conyngham Tindal, Knight, Chief Justice of Our Court of Common Pleas; Sir James Parke, Knight, one of the Barons of Our Court of Exchequer; Our beloved and faithful Sir John Williams, Knight, one of the Justices assigned to hold Pleas before Us; Ebenezer Ludlow, Serjeant at Law; John Bellamy, Esquire; William Henry Bellamy; Charles Bellamy; and Richard Alfred Goodman; Gentlemen; greeting; know ye, that We have constituted you, and any two or more of you, of whom one of you (the said Sir Nicolas Conyngham Tindal, Sir James Parke, Sir John Williams, and Ebenezer Ludlow, We will shall be one), Our Justices to deliver Our Gaol of Our county of Monmouth, of the prisoners therein being and detained, or who shall be therein detained before the eleventh day of January next; and, therefore, We command you, that at a certain day, or at certain

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days, which you or any two or more of you (of whom one of you, the said Sir Nicolas Conyngham Tindal, Sir James Parke, Sir John Williams, and Ebenezer Ludlow, We will shall be one), shall appoint for this purpose, you meet at Monmouth, to deliver that Gaol, doing therein what to justice appertains, according to the laws and customs of England, saving to Us the amerciements and other things to Us from thence accruing: And we command, by the tenor of these Presents, our Sheriff of Our county of Monmouth, that at a certain day, or at certain days, which you, or any two or more of you (of whom one of you, the said Sir Nicolas Conyngham Tindal, Sir James Parke, Sir John Williams, and Ebenezer Ludlow, We will shall be one), shall acquaint him with, He cause all the prisoners of the same gaol, and their attachments before you, or any two or more of you (of whom one of you, the said Sir Nicolas Conyngham Tindal, Sir James Parke, Sir John Williams, and Ebenezer Ludlow, We will shall be one), there to come.

In witness whereof We have caused these Our letters to be made patent.—Witness Ourselves, at Westminster, the nineteenth day of November, in the third year of Our reign.

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*Tithe Commission-Office, London,
November 23, 1839.*

The Tithe Commissioners for England and Wales have appointed George Wingrove Cooke, of the Inner Temple, in the city of London and county of Middlesex, Esq. Barrister at Law, to be an Assistant Tithe Commissioner for especial purposes; and he has this day been duly sworn in before Mr. Justice Littledale, as required under an Act, passed in the 6th and 7th William the Fourth, c. 71, intituled "An Act for the commutation of tithes in England and Wales."

FROM THE

*LONDON GAZETTE of DECEMBER 3,
1839.*

*Tithe Commission-Office, London
November 30, 1839.*

THE Tithe Commissioners for England and Wales have appointed Robert Page, of Charlton-house, in the county of Somerset, Esq. to be an Assistant Tithe Commissioner for especial purposes; and he has this day been duly sworn in before Baron Rolfe, one of Her Majesty's Judges of the Court of Exchequer, as required under an Act, passed in the 6th and 7th William the Fourth, c. 71, intituled "An Act for the commutation of tithes in England and Wales."

FROM THE
LONDON GAZETTE of *DECEMBER 6,*
1839.

Whitehall, December 5, 1839.

THE Queen has been pleased to direct letters patent to be passed under the Great Seal, granting the dignity of a Baron of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland unto Lieutenant-General Sir John Colborne, G. C. B. and the heirs male of his body lawfully begotten, by the name, stile, and title of Baron Seaton, of Seaton, in the county of Devon.

Whitehall, December 5, 1839.

The Queen has been pleased to appoint John Marquess of Breadalbane to be Lieutenant and Sheriff Principal of the shire of Argyll, in the room of George William Duke of Argyll, deceased.

Whitehall, December 4, 1839.

The Queen has been pleased to appoint, by letters patent under the Great Seal, the Right Honourable Thomas Erskine, one of the Justices of the Court of Common Pleas; Joshua Evans, John Samuel Martin de Grenier de Fonblanque, and Edward Holroyd, Esqrs. three of the Commissioners of the Court of Bankruptcy; William John Law, Esq. one of the Commissioners of the Court for the Relief of Insolvent Debtors; and William Crawford, Wynn Ellis, Benjamin Hawes the younger, Thomas Alers Hankey, George Carr Glyn, and John Horsley Palmer, Esqrs.; Her Majesty's Commissioners to inquire into the present state of the laws relating to bankrupts and insolvent debtors, and the administration thereof, and whether it be expedient to make any alteration therein; and, particularly, whether the several Courts by which such laws are now administered may not be beneficially united, or so arranged as to co-operate with and assist each other; and by what means the full benefit of such laws may be secured to, and the better administration thereof provided for in, the country districts.

From

From the DUBLIN GAZETTE of Friday,
November 29, 1839.

Hanaper-Office, November 29, 1839.

ELECTION OF A TEMPORAL PEER OF IRELAND.

IN pursuance of an Act, passed in the fortieth year of the reign of His Majesty King George the Third, intituled "An Act to regulate the mode by which the Lords Spiritual and Temporal, and the Commons, to serve in the Parliament of the United Kingdom, on the part of Ireland, shall be summoned and returned to the said Parliament," I hereby give notice, that writs, bearing teste this day, have issued for electing a Temporal Peer of Ireland, to succeed to the vacancy made by the demise of George Earl of Kingston, in the House of Lords of the said United Kingdom; which said writs are severally directed to the following Peers, who sat and voted in the House of Lords in Ireland before the Union, or whose right to vote on the election of Temporal Peers of Ireland hath, upon claims made on their behalf, been admitted since the Union by the House of Lords of the said United Kingdom; and that the said writs are ready to be delivered at this Office :

His Royal Highness Ernest Augustus Earl
of Armagh.

Augustus Frederick Duke of Leinster.

Henry De La Poer Marquess of Waterford.

Arthur Blundell Sandys Trumbull Marquess
of Downshire.

George Augustus Marquess of Donegal.

Richard Colly Marquess Wellesley.

William Marquess of Thomond.

Thomas

Thomas Marquess of Headfort.
 Howe Peter Marquess of Sligo.
 John Loftus Marquess of Ely.
 Charles William Vane Marquess of Londonderry.
 Francis Nathaniel Marquess Conyngham.
 George Thomas John Marquess of Westmeath.
 Ulick John Marquess of Clanricarde.
 John Earl of Waterford.
 Edmond Earl of Cork and Orrery.
 Michael James Robert Earl of Roscommon.
 John Chambré Earl of Meath.
 Arthur James Earl of Fingall.
 Frederick John William Earl of Cavan.
 Henry Earl of Kerry and Shelbourne.
 John James Earl of Egmont.
 Frederick Earl of Besborough.
 Henry Earl of Shannon.
 James Earl of Fife.
 John Delaval Earl of Tyrconnell.
 Philip York Earl of Arran.
 James Thomas Earl of Courtown.
 Joseph Earl of Milltown.
 Francis William Earl of Charlemont.
 John Earl of Mexborough.
 Thomas Earl of Howth.
 Charles William Earl of Sefton.
 Robert Earl of Roden.
 Ernest Earl of Lisburn.
 Richard Plantagenet Earl Nugent.
 Stephen Earl of Mount Cashel.
 Edward Michael Earl of Longford.
 John Earl of Portarlington.
 John Earl of Mayo.
 John Willoughby Earl of Enniskillen.
 Edmond Earl of Kilkenny.
 George Earl of Mountnorris.

William Forward Earl of Wicklow.
 John Henry Earl of Clonmel.
 John Earl of Clare.
 Nathaniel Earl of Leitrim.
 George Charles Earl of Lucan.
 Somerset Lowry Earl of Belmore.
 Charles Henry Earl O'Neill.
 James Earl of Bandon.
 Robert Earl of Castlestuart.
 John Hely Earl of Donoughmore.
 James Dupré Earl of Caledon.
 Valentine Earl of Kenmare.
 Edmond Henry Earl of Limerick.
 William Thomas Earl of Clancarty.
 Archibald Earl of Gosford.
 Lawrence Earl of Rosse.
 Welbore Ellis Earl of Normanton.
 Charles William Earl of Charleville.
 Richard Earl of Bantry.
 Richard Earl of Glengall.
 George Augustus Frederick Earl of Sheffield.
 Francis Jack Earl of Kilmorey.
 Henry Stanley Earl of Rathdowne.
 Windham Henry Earl of Dunraven.
 William Earl of Listowel.
 Hector Earl of Norbury.
 Thomas Earl of Ranelagh.
 Jenico Viscount Gormanstown.
 George Child Viscount Grandison.
 Henry Charles Viscount Dillon.
 James Viscount Netterville.
 John Saville Lumley Viscount Lumley.
 Percy Clinton Sydney Viscount Strangford.
 Thomas Heron Viscount Ranelagh.
 James Viscount Strabane.
 Richard Pigot Viscount Molesworth.
 Richard Walter Viscount Chetwynd.
 Gustavus Viscount Boyne.

- William Keppel Viscount Barrington.
 George Edward Arundell Monekton Viscount
 Galway.
 Richard Viscount Powerseourt.
 Henry Jeffry Viscount Ashbrooke.
 Hervey Viscount Mount-Morris.
 Arthur Trever Viscount Dungannon.
 Thomas Anthony Viscount Southwell.
 John Viscount De Vesci.
 James Viscount Lifford.
 William Viscount Melbourne.
 Hayes Viscount Doneraile.
 John James Viscount Harberton.
 Cornwallis Viscount Hawarden.
 Thomas Henry Viscount Ferrard.
 Barry John Viscount Avonmore.
 John Henry Viscount Templetown.
 Cornelius Viscount Lismore.
 Robert Viscount Lorton.
 Lodge Redmond Viscount Frankfort De
 Montmorency.
 Charles Viscount Gort.
 Standish Viscount Guillamore.
 Edward Wadding Baron Dunsany.
 Thomas Oliver Baron Louth.
 Cadwallader Davis Baron Blayney.
 Francis Charles Seymour Baron Conway and
 Killultagh.
 John Evans Baron Carberry.
 Mathew Whitworth Baron Aylmer.
 Henry Baron Farnham.
 Constantine Henry Baron Mulgrave.
 Charles George Baron Arden.
 Godfrey Baron Macdonald.
 William Baron Kensington.
 Edward Baron Rokeby.
 Mathew Fitzmaurice Baron Muskerry.
 Samuel Baron Hood.
 William Baron Riversdale.

George Baron Auekland.
 John Cavendish Baron Kilmaine.
 Valentine Browne Baron Cloncurry.
 Robert Baron Clonbrock.
 Henry Cavendish Baron Waterpark.
 Samuel Baron Bridport.
 George Augustus Henry Anne Baron Ranccliffe.
 Warner William Baron Rossmore.
 Richard Baron Cremorne.
 Charles John Baron Teignmouth.
 Edward Baron Crofton.
 Charles Baron Ffrench.
 John Baron Henniker.
 Thomas Townsend Meredith Baron Ventry.
 George Baron Mountsandford.
 Henry Baron Dunally.
 Granville George Baron Radstock.
 Alan Legge Baron Gardner.
 George Baron Nugent.
 Frederiek Baron Ashtown.
 Eyre Baron Clarina.
 John Horsley Baron Decies.
 George Baron Garvagh.
 Ulysses Baron Downes.
 Benjamin Baron Bloomfield.
 William Vesey Baron Fitzgerald and Vesci.
 Richard Wogan Baron Talbot De Malahide.
 Robert Shapland Baron Carew.
 Dominick Baron Oranmore and Browne.

C. Fitz-Simon,
 Clerk of the Crown and Hanaper.

FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of DECEMBER 10,
1839.

By the QUEEN.

A PROCLAMATION.

VICTORIA, R.

WHEREAS Our Parliament stands prorogued to Thursday the twelfth day of this instant December; We, with the advice of Our Privy Council, do hereby publish and declare, that the said Parliament shall be further prorogued, on the said twelfth day of December instant, to Thursday the sixteenth day of January next; and We have given order to Our Chancellor of that part of Our United Kingdom called Great Britain, to prepare a commission for proroguing the same accordingly; and We do hereby further, with the advice aforesaid, declare Our Royal Will and Pleasure, that the said Parliament shall, on the said Thursday the sixteenth day of January next, assemble and be holden for the dispatch of divers urgent and important affairs: And the Lords Spiritual and Temporal, and the Knights, Citizens, and Burghesses, and the Commissioners for Shires and Burghs of the House of Commons, are hereby required and commanded to give their attendance accordingly, at Westminster, on the said Thursday the sixteenth day of January next.

Given at Our Court at Windsor, this ninth day of December, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and thirty-nine, and in the third year of Our reign.

GOD save the QUEEN.

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At

At the Court at *Windsor*, the 9th day of *December*
1839,

PRESENT,

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS by an Act, passed in the seventh year of the reign of His late Majesty King William the Fourth, intituled "An Act for rendering more easy the taking the poll at county elections," it is enacted, that it shall be lawful for His Majesty, by and with the advice of His Privy Council, from time to time, on petition from the justices of any county, riding, parts, or division in England or Wales, in quarter sessions assembled, representing, that the number of polling places for such county, riding, parts, or division is insufficient, and praying that the place or places mentioned in the said petition may be a polling place or polling places for the county, riding, parts, or division of the county within which such place or places is or are situate, to declare that any place or places mentioned in the said petition shall be a polling place or polling places for that county, riding, parts, or division; and that the justices of the peace for such county, riding, parts, or division, in quarter sessions or some special sessions assembled, as mentioned in the Act, passed in the third year of the reign of His said late Majesty, intituled "An Act to settle and determine the division of counties, and the limits of cities and boroughs, in England and Wales, in so far as respects the election of Members to serve in Parliament," shall, conformably to the said last-mentioned Act, divide such county, riding, parts, or division into convenient polling districts, and assign one of such districts to each polling place:

And

And whereas the justices of the peace of the county of Suffolk, assembled at Beccles, in the said county, on the fourteenth day of October one thousand eight hundred and thirty-nine, have presented their petition to Her Majesty, representing that the number of polling places for the eastern division of the said county is insufficient, and therefore praying, that the town or parish of Stradbroke may be a polling place for the said eastern division:-

Now, therefore, Her Majesty, having taken the said petition into consideration, doth, pursuant to the said Act of the seventh year of His late Majesty's reign, by and with the advice of Her Privy Council, declare, order, and direct, that the town or parish of Stradbroke shall be a polling place for the said eastern division; and further, that the justices of the peace for the said county, assembled in quarter sessions, or some special sessions, as mentioned in the said Act of the third year of His late Majesty's reign, shall, conformably to the said last-mentioned Act, divide the said eastern division of the said county into convenient polling districts, and assign one of such districts to each polling place.

C. C. Greville.

At the Court at *Windsor*, the 9th day of *December*
1839,

PRESENT,

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS by an Act, passed in the seventh year of the reign of His late Majesty King William the Fourth, intituled "An Act for rendering more easy the taking the poll at county elections," it is enacted, that it shall be lawful for His Majesty, by and with the advice of His Privy Council, from time to time, on petition from the justices of any county, riding, parts, or division in England or Wales, in quarter sessions assembled, representing, that the number of polling places for such county, riding, parts, or division is insufficient, and praying, that the place or places mentioned in the said petition may be a polling place or polling places for the county, riding, parts or division of the county within which such place or places is or are situate, to declare that any place or places mentioned in the said petition shall be a polling place or polling places for that county, riding, parts, or division; and that the justices of the peace for such county, riding, parts, or division, in quarter sessions or some special sessions assembled, as mentioned in the Act, passed in the third year of the reign of His said late Majesty, intituled "An Act to settle and determine the division of counties, and the limits of cities and boroughs, in England and Wales, in so far as respects the election of Members to serve in Parliament," shall, conformably to the said last-mentioned Act, divide such county, riding, parts, or division into convenient polling districts, and assign one of such districts to each polling place :

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And whereas the justices of the peace of the county of Wilts, assembled at the general quarter sessions of the peace, held at Marlborough, in and for the said county of Wilts, on the fifteenth day of October one thousand eight hundred and thirty-nine, have presented their petition to Her Majesty, representing that the number of polling places for the northern division of the said county is insufficient, and therefore praying, that the town of Marlborough may be a polling place for the said division:

Now, therefore, Her Majesty, having taken the said petition into consideration, doth, pursuant to the said Act of the seventh year of His late Majesty's reign, by and with the advice of Her Privy Council, declare, order, and direct, that the town of Marlborough shall be a polling place for the said division; and further, that the justices of the peace for the said county, assembled in quarter sessions or some special sessions, as mentioned in the said Act of the third year of His late Majesty's reign, shall, conformably to the said last-mentioned Act, divide the said division into convenient polling districts, and assign one of such districts to each polling place.

C. C. Greville.

Whitehall, December 9, 1839.

The Queen has been pleased to grant unto Sir Alexander Anderson, Knt. Colonel in the Army, and Companion of the Most Honourable Military Order of the Bath, Her royal licence and permission, that he may accept and wear the insignia of a Knight Commander of the Royal Portuguese Military Order of St. Bento d'Avis, which the Queen of Portugal hath been pleased to confer upon him,

him, in testimony of Her royal approbation of his gallant conduct during the Peninsular war, when serving in Her Most Faithful Majesty's Army, as Colonel of the 11th Regiment of Foot, and that he may enjoy all the rights and privileges thereunto annexed :

And also to command, that Her Majesty's said concession and especial mark of Her royal favour, be registered, together with the relative documents, in Her Majesty's College of Arms.

Whitehall, December 9, 1839.

The Queen has been pleased to grant unto Colonel George-William Paty, Lieutenant-Colonel of the 94th Regiment of Foot, Companion of the Most Honourable Military Order of the Bath, and Knight of the Royal Hanoverian Guelphic Order, Her royal licence and permission, that he may accept and wear the insignia of a Knight Commander of the Royal Portuguese Military Order of St. Bento, which the Queen of Portugal hath been pleased to confer upon him, in testimony of Her Most Faithful Majesty's royal approbation of his gallant conduct during the Peninsular war, particularly at the assault of Badajos ; and that he may enjoy all the rights and privileges thereunto annexed ; provided, nevertheless, that Her Majesty's said licence and permission doth not authorise the assumption of any style, appellation, rank, precedence, or privilege appertaining unto a Knight Bachelor of these realms :

And also to command, that Her Majesty's said concession and especial mark of Her royal favour, be registered, together with the relative documents, in Her Majesty's College of Arms.

*Tithe Commission-Office, London;
December 6, 1839.*

The Tithe Commissioners for England and Wales have appointed Charles Thompson, of Harecourt, Temple, in the city of London and county of Middlesex, Esq. Barrister at Law, to be an Assistant Tithe Commissioner for especial purposes ; and he has this day been duly sworn in before Mr. Justice Maule, one of Her Majesty's Judges, in the Court of Common Pleas, according to the provisions of an Act, passed in the 6th and 7th William the Fourth, c. 71, intituled " An Act for the commutation of tithes in England and Wales."

FROM THE

*LONDON GAZETTE of DECEMBER 12,
1839.*

At the Court at *Windsor*, the 9th day of *December*
1839,

PRESENT,

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS by an Act, passed in the first and second year of Her present Majesty, intituled " An Act to amend the laws of the Customs," after reciting that, by an Act, passed in the fifty-ninth year of the reign of His Majesty King George the Third, intituled " An Act to carry into effect a
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“ convention of commerce concluded between His Majesty and the United States of America, and a “ treaty with the Prince Regent of Portugal,” divers provisions were made respecting the duties payable, and the bounties and allowances to be granted, upon the importation and exportation of goods, wares, and merchandize, into or from the United Kingdom, in vessels of the United States, and in Portuguese vessels, and respecting the repayment to certain corporations, bodies politic and corporate, and sundry other persons, of the amount of the sums of money of which they would be deprived by means of the said Act; and it was thereby enacted, that the said Act should continue in force so long as the convention, therein recited, between His said Majesty and the United States of America, and the treaty, therein recited, between His said Majesty and His Royal Highness the Prince Regent of Portugal, and so long as any treaty to be made with any foreign power, with the similar provisions therein before recited, should respectively continue in force; and also reciting, that, subsequently to the enactment of the said recited Act, Her Majesty and Her Royal Predecessors have made and concluded with divers foreign powers, treaties, containing provisions similar to those recited in the said recited Act; and doubts have arisen whether, according to the true construction thereof, the said Act doth apply and extend to the trade and shipping of such other foreign powers, and it is expedient that such doubts be removed; it is thereby enacted and declared that, from and after the ratification of any treaty heretofore made by Her Majesty, or any of Her Royal Predecessors, subsequently to the enactment of the said Act, or of any treaty which may hereafter be made by Her Majesty, Her Heirs, and Successors, with any such foreign power, in which treaty has been, or shall be, contained provisions similar to those contained in the said recited Act,

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all and every the provisions, clauses, matters, and things in the said recited Act contained, do and shall apply and extend to the trade and shipping of such foreign powers respectively, as fully and effectually, to all intents and purposes, as to the trade and shipping of the said United States, and of the said kingdom of Portugal :

And, for the prevention of uncertainty therein, it is thereby enacted that it shall and may be lawful for Her Majesty, Her Heirs, and Successors, by any Order or Orders to be by Her or Them made, with the advice of Her or Their Privy Council, and published in the London Gazette, from time to time to declare what are the foreign powers with which any such treaty or treaties as aforesaid, is or are subsisting ; and that such Act, and the said recited Act, shall apply, and shall be deemed, from the time of the ratification of any such treaties, to have been applicable to the trade and shipping of such foreign countries as shall be so mentioned in any such Order or Orders in Council as aforesaid, so long as any such Order or Orders shall continue unrevoked, and no longer :

Now, therefore, Her Majesty, by and with the advice of Her Privy Council, doth, in pursuance and in exercise of the powers and authority in Her vested by the Act so passed as aforesaid, in the first and second year of Her reign, declare, that the foreign powers with which any such treaties as aforesaid are subsisting, are the several powers hereinafter mentioned, that is to say, the United States of America, His Majesty the King of Prussia, His Majesty the King of Hanover, His Majesty the King of Denmark, the United Provinces of Rio de la Plata, the State of Colombia, the Senate of the Free Hanseatic City of Lubeck, the Senate of the Free Hanseatic City of Bremen, and the Senate of the Free Hanseatic City of Hamburg, His Majesty the King of the French,

His Majesty the King of Sweden and Norway, the United States of Mexico, His Majesty the Emperor of Brazil, the Free City of Frankfort, the State of Venezuela, the Peru Bolivian Confederation, His Majesty the King of Greece, His Majesty the King of the Netherlands, His Majesty the Emperor of Austria, and the Sultan of the Ottoman Empire.

And the Right Honourable the Lords Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury are to give the necessary directions herein accordingly.

C. C. Greville.

At the Court at *Windsor*, the 9th day of *December*
1839,

PRESENT,

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS there was this day read at the Board, a representation from the Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Council on Education, dated the twenty-ninth day of November last, in the words following, viz.

“ THE Lords of the Committee have this day met, and agreed humbly to recommend to your Majesty, that the Reverend John Allen, M. A. and Seymour Tremenheere, Esq. Barrister at Law, and Fellow of New College, Oxford, should be appointed Inspectors of Schools to be aided by Public Grants, and their Lordships further recommend that the services of each of the said Inspectors should, for the present, be remunerated as follows, viz. at the rate of three guineas per day for every day employed in the duties of their Office, pursuant to the directions of this Committee, out of town, and two guineas per day
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for every day so employed, in town, and the travelling expences of every day that the said Inspectors shall be respectively engaged in the duty of Inspection, pursuant to the directions of this Committee."

Her Majesty having taken the said representation into consideration, was pleased, by and with the advice of Her Privy Council, to approve thereof.

C. C. Greville.

Windsor-Castle, December 9, 1839.

The Queen was this day pleased to confer the honour of Knighthood upon Thomas Phillips, Esq. late Mayor of Newport, in the county of Monmouth.

FROM THE

*LONDON GAZETTE of DECEMBER 17,
1839.*

Lord Chamberlain's-Office, December 17, 1839.

ORDERS for the Court's going into mourning, on Thursday next the 19th instant, for His late Majesty the King of Denmark, viz.

The Ladies to wear black silk, fringed or plain linen, white gloves, necklaces and ear-rings, black or white shoes, fans and tippets.

The Gentlemen to wear black, full trimmed, fringed or plain linen, black swords and buckles.

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The Court to change the mourning, on Thursday the 2d of January next, viz.

The Ladies to wear black silk or velvet, coloured ribbons, fans and tippets, or plain white, or white and gold, or white and silver stuffs, with black ribbons.

The Gentlemen to wear black coats, and black or plain white, or white and gold, or white and silver stuff waistcoats, full trimmed, coloured swords and buckles.

And on Thursday the 9th of January next, the Court to go out of mourning.

FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of DECEMBER 20,
1839.

Whitehall, December 11, 1839.

THE Queen has been pleased to direct letters patent to be passed under the Great Seal, granting the dignities of Baron and Earl of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland unto the Right Honourable George Lord Auckland, G. C. B. and the heirs male of his body lawfully begotten, by the names; styles, and titles of Baron Eden, of Norwood, in the county of Surrey, and Earl of Auckland.

The Queen has also been pleased to direct letters patent to be passed under the Great Seal, granting the dignity of a Baron of the United Kingdom of
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Great Britain and Ireland unto Lieutenant-General Sir John Keane, G. C. B. and the heirs male of his body, lawfully begotten, by the name, style, and title of Baron Keane, of Ghuznee, in Afghanistan, and of Cappoquin, in the county of Waterford.

The Queen has also been pleased to direct letters patent to be passed under the Great Seal, granting the dignity of a Baronet of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland unto the following Gentlemen, and the heirs male of their bodies lawfully begotten, viz.

William Hay Macnaghten, Esq. of the Civil Service of the East India Company, on the Bengal Establishment, Envoy and Minister from the Government of India to His Majesty Shah Shooja-ool Moolk; and

Colonel Henry Pottinger, in the Service of the East India Company, on the Bombay Establishment, Political Resident in Cutch.

The Queen has also been pleased to direct letters patent to be passed under the Great Seal of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, conferring the honour of Knighthood upon Lieutenant-Colonel Claud Martine Wade, of the Military Service of the East India Company, on the Bengal Establishment, Political Resident at Loodiana.

Downing-Street, December 20, 1839.

The Queen has been graciously pleased to nominate and appoint—

Colonel Thomas Willshire, commanding the Bombay troops, and serving with the rank of Major-General in India ;

Colonel Joseph Thackwell, commanding the cavalry, and serving with the rank of Major-General in India ; and

Colonel Robert Henry Sale, commanding the 13th Light Dragoons, and serving with the rank of Major-General in Afghanistan ;

to be Knights Commanders of the Most Honourable Military Order of the Bath.

Her Majesty has also been pleased to nominate and appoint the following Officers, in Her Majesty's service, to be Companions of the said Most Honourable Military Order of the Bath ;

Lieutenant-Colonel John Scott, of the 4th Light Dragoons.

Lieutenant-Colonel William Persse, of the 16th Lancers.

Lieutenant-Colonel William Croker, of the 17th Foot ; and

Lieutenant-Colonel Ronald Macdonald, of the 4th Foot, Deputy Adjutant-General, Bombay.

Her Majesty has been further pleased to nominate and appoint the following Officers, in the service of the East India Company, to be Companions of the said Most Honourable Military Order of the Bath ;

Lieutenant-Colonel Abraham Roberts, of the Bengal Native Infantry.

Lieutenant-Colonel Thomas Stevenson, of the Bombay Artillery.

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Lieutenant-Colonel Thomas Monteath, of the Bengal Native Infantry.

Lieutenant-Colonel Hugh Massey Wheeler, of the Bengal Native Infantry.

Lieutenant-Colonel Charles M. Carmichael Smyth, of the Bengal Native Cavalry.

Lieutenant-Colonel Bentham Sandwith, of the Bombay Native Cavalry.

Lieutenant-Colonel Foster Stalker, of the Bombay Native Infantry.

Lieutenant-Colonel Claud Martine Wade, of the Bengal Native Infantry.

Major George Thomson, of the Bengal Engineers.

Major Eldred Pottinger, of the Bombay Artillery.

Downing-Street, December 19, 1839.

The Queen has been pleased to appoint William Ogle Carr, Esq. to be Second Puisne Judge of the Island of Ceylon.

Downing-Street, December 19, 1839.

The Queen has been pleased to appoint James Stark, Esq. to be Her Majesty's Advocate in the Island of Ceylon.

St. James's-Palace, December 19, 1839.

The Queen has been pleased, on the nomination of Lord Foley, to appoint John Nightingale, Esq. one of Her Majesty's Honourable Corps of Gentlemen at Arms, vice Wood, retired.

FROM THE
LONDON GAZETTE of DECEMBER 24,
 1839.

*Master of the Horse's-Office, the Queen's-Mews,
 Pimlico, December 21, 1839.*

THE Queen has been graciously pleased to appoint the Right Honourable George William Fox Lord Kinnaird to be Master of Her Majesty's Buck Hounds.

Downing-Street, December 23, 1839.

The Queen has been pleased to appoint Henry V. Huntley, Esq. Commander in the Royal Navy, to be Lieutenant Governor of Her Majesty's Settlements on the Gambia.

Whitehall, December 23, 1839.

The Queen has been pleased to grant unto Commander Charles Anstruther Barlow, of the Royal Navy, Her royal licence and permission, that he may accept and wear the cross, of the first class, of the National and Military Order of San Fernando, which the Queen Regent of Spain hath been pleased to confer upon him, in testimony of Her Catholic Majesty's royal approbation of his services in the various actions which took place from the siege of
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Bilbao, in June 1835, to the 4th of May 1837 ; and that he may enjoy all the rights and privileges thereunto annexed ; provided, nevertheless, that Her Majesty's said licence and permission doth not authorize the assumption of any stile, appellation, rank, precedence, or privilege appertaining unto a Knight Bachelor of these realms :

And also to command, that Her Majesty's said concession and especial mark of Her royal favour be registered, together with the relative documents, in Her Majesty's College of Arms.

*Tithe Commission-Office, London,
December 23, 1839.*

The Tithe Commissioners for England and Wales have appointed Henry Pilkington, Esq. of Barnard's-inn, Barrister at Law, to be an Assistant Tithe Commissioner for especial purposes ; and he has been duly sworn in before Chr. Fenwick, Esq. of Newcastle-upon-Tyne, a Master Extraordinary in the High Court of Chancery, as required by the Act, passed in the 6th and 7th William the Fourth, c. 71, intituled " An Act for the commutation of tithes in England and Wales."

FROM THE
SUPPLEMENT
TO THE
LONDON GAZETTE of *DECEMBER 27,*
1839.

WHEREAS by an Act, passed in the last session of Parliament, intituled "An Act for the further regulation of the Duties on Postage, until the 5th day of October 1840," power is given to the Lords Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury, or any three of them, by warrant under their hands, to alter, fix, reduce, or remit all or any of the rates of British or Inland or other Postage payable by law on the transmission of Post Letters, and to subject such letters to rates of postage according to the weight thereof, and a scale of weight to be contained in such warrant (without reference to the distance or number of miles the same may be conveyed), and to fix and limit the weight of letters to be sent by the Post; and, from time to time, by warrant as aforesaid, to alter or repeal any such altered or reduced rates, and make and establish any new or other rates in lieu thereof; and, from time to time, by warrant as aforesaid, to appoint at what time the rates which may be payable are to be paid, that is to say, whether on posting the letter or on the receipt thereof, or at either of those times, at the option of the sender; and, by the same Act, power is also given to the Lords of the Treasury, by

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warrant under their hands, to suspend, wholly or in part, any Parliamentary or official privilege of sending and receiving Letters by the Post free of postage, or any other franking privilege of any description whatsoever; provided, that all such warrants should be inserted in the London Gazette ten days, at least, before coming into operation, and should, within fourteen days after making the same, be laid before both Houses of Parliament (if then sitting), or otherwise, within fourteen days after Parliament should meet:

And whereas by a warrant, under the hands of three of the Lords Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury, dated the 22d day of November 1839, the said Lords Commissioners did, in exercise of the power or authority for such purpose vested in them by the said Act, and of all other powers enabling them in that behalf, fix and limit the scale of weight therein mentioned of letters to be transmitted through the General Post, and they subjected and charged such letters, on and after the 5th day of December then next and now instant, to the rates of postage therein mentioned, and they thereby made the several other orders and regulations respecting the conveyance of letters by the Post therein contained: and they thereby declared, that it should be lawful for the Lords Commissioners, for the time being, of Her Majesty's Treasury, or any three of them, by warrant under their hands at any time thereafter, to alter or repeal any of the rates thereby altered, or the regulations thereby made, and to make and establish any new or other rates or regulations in lieu thereof, and, from time to time, to appoint at what time the rates that might be payable were to be paid.

Now, we the undersigned (being three of the Lords Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury), do, in exercise of the power or authority in us for
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such purpose vested in and by the said Act and warrant, and of all other powers enabling us in this behalf, by this warrant, under our hands, order and direct, that the said warrant, of the 22d day of November now last, and the rates thereby fixed and directed to be charged, shall be, and the same are hereby, repealed from and after the 9th day of January 1840 (except as to any Letters posted in or brought into the United Kingdom on or before that day, and also except as to any duties of postage which shall have become due under or by virtue of such warrant, which may be recovered as if the same had continued in force.)

And we hereby further order and direct, that this present warrant shall come into operation on the 10th day of January 1840; and that all Letters which, on or after that day, shall be posted in any town or place within the United Kingdom, or shall be brought from parts beyond the seas to any port or place within the United Kingdom, or shall be sent between the United Kingdom and places beyond the seas, or between any of the other places hereinafter mentioned, shall be subject to the several regulations and rates hereinafter contained.

And we further order and direct, that Letters transmitted by the Post shall not in future be charged with the British rates of postage, according to the number of inclosures, but by weight, as hereinafter mentioned.

And we hereby fix and limit the following scale of weight of Letters to be transmitted by the Post, and we subject such Letters, on and after the said 10th day of January 1840, to the following rates of Postage (that is to say):

On every Letter, not exceeding half an ounce in weight, there shall be charged and taken one rate of postage.

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On every Letter, exceeding half an ounce, and not exceeding one ounce in weight, there shall be charged and taken two rates of postage.

On every Letter, exceeding one ounce, and not exceeding two ounces in weight, there shall be charged and taken four rates of postage.

On every Letter, exceeding two ounces, and not exceeding three ounces in weight, there shall be charged and taken six rates of postage.

And on every Letter, exceeding three ounces, and not exceeding four ounces in weight, there shall be charged and taken eight rates of postage.

And for every ounce in weight above the weight of four ounces, there shall be charged and taken two additional rates of postage; and every fraction of an ounce, above the weight of four ounces, shall be charged as one additional ounce.

And we order and direct, that no Letter exceeding sixteen ounces in weight shall, in any case, be forwarded by the Post between places within the United Kingdom, except addresses to Her Majesty, Parliamentary petitions, printed votes and proceedings in Parliament, Letters addressed to, or despatched by, any of the Government offices or departments, or any public officer having now the privilege of franking by virtue of his office, deeds, if transmitted under all such regulations and restrictions as the Postmaster-General shall from time to time appoint, and letters to and from places beyond the seas.

And we hereby fix and limit the following rates of Postage to be paid to Her Majesty's Postmaster-General for the use of Her Majesty, on Letters posted and transmitted by the Post, on and after the 10th day of January 1840; and we order and direct the same to be charged and paid accordingly, that is to say:

Inland Letters.

On all Letters, not exceeding half an ounce in weight, transmitted by the Post, between places within the United Kingdom (not being Letters sent to or from parts beyond the seas), there shall be charged and taken one uniform rate of postage of one penny, without reference to the number of sheets or pieces of paper, or enclosures of which the same may be comprised, or to the distance or number of miles the same shall be conveyed; and that on all such Letters, if exceeding half an ounce in weight, there shall be charged and taken progressive and additional rates of postage (each additional rate being estimated at one penny), according to the scale of weight and number of rates hereinbefore fixed and declared; provided, that such postage of one penny, and such progressive and additional postage be pre-paid at the time of posting such Letters; but, in case such postage on any such Letters shall not be pre-paid when posted, there shall be charged on such Letters a postage of double the amount to which such Letters would otherwise have been liable under this present warrant.

That all Letters forwarded under the authority of the Postmaster-General, by private vessels or packet boats, and transmitted between places in the United Kingdom, shall be considered as forwarded by the Post between such places, and be charged accordingly.

Colonial Letters, by Packet.

That on all Letters, not exceeding half an ounce in weight, transmitted between any place within the United Kingdom, wherever situate, and any other of the British dominions or colonies, by packet boat, and not through France (including, however, Let-

Letters to and from the East Indies by way of Falmouth and Alexandria), there shall be charged and taken one uniform rate of British postage of one shilling; and, if exceeding such weight, then progressive and additional rates of postage according to the scale of weight and number of rates hereinbefore contained, each additional rate being estimated at one shilling.

Ship Letters.

That on all letters transmitted by vessels not being packet boats, between the United Kingdom and any place beyond the seas (including Ceylon, the Mauritius, the Cape of Good Hope, and the East Indies), there shall be charged and taken for British postage the rates following, at whatever place within the United Kingdom the same may be posted or delivered, that is to say, if not exceeding half an ounce in weight, one uniform rate of eightpence; and if exceeding such weight, then progressive and additional rates of postage according to the scale of weight, and number of rates hereinbefore contained, estimating and charging each additional rate at eightpence.

Foreign Letters.

That on all letters not exceeding half an ounce in weight, transmitted by post,

Between any part of the United Kingdom and France, or any other Foreign country through France (Letters to and from any of Her Majesty's colonies or dominions excepted), there shall be charged and taken uniform rates of postage of the like amounts, as are now payable by law on single Letters transmitted between London and any such Foreign country.

Between the United Kingdom and Foreign parts (except France and any Foreign country through France), or between the United Kingdom and any

of Her Majesty's colonies or dominions through a Foreign country, or between any ports, islands, or places out of the United Kingdom, there shall be charged and taken the like rates of British postage as are by law now payable, in respect to single Letters so transmitted (Letters on which uniform rates of postage between any such places are now legally payable, being still liable to, and charged therewith, according to the respective amounts thereof) ; and the said Letters, whether at present rated from or to the port of departure and arrival of the packet conveying the same or not, shall, for the purposes of this Warrant, be deemed and considered to be so rated, and the rates shall be charged and taken accordingly.

And on every Letter so transmitted (Letters chargeable with uniform rates of postage as aforesaid excepted), which shall be posted within the United Kingdom at any other place than the port of departure of the packet, by which the same shall be forwarded, or which shall be addressed to, or delivered at, any other place within the United Kingdom than the port at which the packet bringing the same shall arrive, and not exceeding half an ounce in weight, an inland rate of twopence shall be charged and taken, in addition to the rates of British postage, now payable thereon as aforesaid.

And on every Letter, so transmitted as hereinbefore respectively mentioned, exceeding half an ounce in weight (Letters on which uniform rates are payable as aforesaid included), there shall be charged and taken progressive and additional rates of British postage, according to the scale of weight and number of rates hereinbefore contained, estimating and charging each additional rate at the amount hereinbefore directed to be charged and taken on every Letter so transmitted not exceeding half an ounce in weight, and charging the inland rate (if any) as aforesaid.

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And we further order and direct, that in all cases in which the British rates hereinbefore directed to be charged on Letters transmitted by Post between the United Kingdom and foreign parts, or between the United Kingdom and any of Her Majesty's colonies or dominions through a foreign country, or between any places out of the United Kingdom, not exceeding half an ounce in weight, shall exceed the duty of postage which would be payable by law according to the existing rates on single Letters so transmitted in case this warrant had not been made, there shall be charged and taken on such Letters the like rates of postage only and no more as would by law be payable according to the existing rates by distance or otherwise in respect of such single Letters; and on any such Letters exceeding half an ounce in weight, there shall be charged and paid the progressive additional rates according to the scale of weight and number of rates hereinbefore contained, estimating and charging each additional rate at the amount payable according to the existing rates for every such single Letter.

That with reference to the existing Treaties between His late Majesty King William the Fourth, Her present Majesty, and His Majesty the King of the French, Letters between the United Kingdom and France may be sent without being pre-paid; but in all other cases of Letters sent out of the United Kingdom, it shall be lawful for the Postmaster-General to require the postage thereof to be paid by the sender on the tender or delivery of such Letters at the Post-office, or other place appointed by the Postmaster-General for the receipt of such Letters for the purpose of transmission by the Post (subject, nevertheless, to the regulations and enactments in this respect contained in the Act of the first Victoria, cap. 34, sec. 14).

And we order and direct, that all additional rates at any time heretofore payable by law on letters transmitted by post to or from Ireland by way of Holyhead in respect of the Menai-bridge, and by way of Conway and Chester in respect of Conway-bridge, and by way of Milford and Waterford, and also the additional rate of one halfpenny on Letters conveyed by the Post in any part of Scotland by a mail carriage with more than two wheels, shall be wholly remitted and shall cease to be payable.

That all additional rates for Letters originally sent by the General Post to places within the United Kingdom, directed beyond the limits of the delivery of the General Post, and delivered by any twopenny or penny or convention Post, or originally sent by any twopenny or penny or convention Post, and afterwards passing through the General Post, shall also be remitted and cease to be payable.

That on and after the said 10th day of January next, the privilege of sending and receiving Letters by the post free of postage, whether Parliamentary, official, or of any other description whatsoever (except as hereinafter provided), as well under an Act, passed in the first year of the reign of Her present Majesty, intituled "An Act for regulating the sending and receiving of Letters and packets by the post free from the duty of postage" (being the 1 Vict. c. 35), as under any other Act or Acts now in force, or under any other authority whatsoever, shall be wholly suspended during the time this Warrant shall be in force; and that all Letters to which any such privileges now extend (except as aforesaid), shall thenceforth be charged, and chargeable with the like rates as any other Letters transmitted by the post will be chargeable with, under or by virtue of this present Warrant.

That the printed votes and proceedings of the Imperial Parliament, and printed votes and proceedings of the Colonial Legislatures, may be
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If not exceeding two ounces in weight there shall be charged and paid a rate of one penny.

If exceeding two ounces and not exceeding four ounces in weight, there shall be charged and paid a rate of two pence.

And for every additional two ounces in weight above the weight of four ounces, there shall be charged an additional rate of postage of one penny.

And every fraction of an ounce above the weight of two ounces shall be charged an additional rate of postage of one penny; provided always, that it shall be lawful for the Postmaster-General (if he shall see fit), to delay the transmission of any such printed votes or proceedings, for any space of time, not exceeding twenty-four hours from the time at which such votes and proceedings would otherwise have been forwarded.

That the privilege of forwarding addresses to Her Majesty free of postage, and the privilege, by the said Act of the 1st Victoria, c. 35, granted to Members of each House of Parliament, of receiving petitions addressed to either House of Parliament, not exceeding six ounces each in weight, free of postage, and all the privileges and exemptions by law granted in respect of printed British newspapers duly stamped, and of foreign newspapers, and of colonial newspapers (including those of the islands of Guernsey, Jersey, Alderney, Sark, Man, and the Ionian Islands), whether stamped or not, and

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Letters to and from soldiers and seamen employed in Her Majesty's service abroad, and transmitted to and from the United Kingdom (provided that such Letters do not exceed half an ounce in weight), shall continue in force, subject to the existing regulations and liabilities respecting the same.

That if any such printed votes or proceedings, Parliamentary petitions, printed newspapers and letters of soldiers and seamen, shall become chargeable with and liable to the full Letter rates of Postage, such rates (and the treble duty on newspapers in such cases as the same shall by law become payable), shall be charged and taken according to the scale of weight and rates herein-before specified.

That, except in the cases herein-before specified, all privileges whatsoever of sending Letters free of Postage, or at a reduced rate of Postage, shall be wholly suspended, during the time this present warrant shall be in operation: provided that the letters of owners, charterers, and consignees (resident in the United Kingdom) of vessels inward bound, and the owners, consignees, and shippers of goods on board vessels outward bound, shall have the like exemption from Postage as such Letters are now entitled to, under the provisions of the first Victoria, cap. 34, and that printed colonial newspapers, not stamped, may be brought into the United Kingdom by packet boats free of Postage.

Provided always, and we hereby declare, that nothing in this warrant contained shall extend to or be in anywise construed to affect the rates of postage payable under an Act passed in the year 1764 (being the 5th Geo. 3, c. 25), on letters transmitted by the post within or between any of the British dominions in America or the West Indies, and not passing to or from the United Kingdom, or to alter the mode of charging such letters, so far as such rates are now payable by law.

That on all foreign letters addressed to places within
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Her Majesty's dominions, the Postmaster-General may charge the foreign postage in addition to the British postage; and he may account for and pay over to the foreign countries entitled to receive the same the amount of all such foreign postage.

That the gratuities now payable by law to masters of vessels on letters and newspapers conveyed by them, for or on behalf of the Post-office, between places within the United Kingdom, shall, on and from the said 10th day of January 1840, be reduced; and the sum of two shillings and sixpence only, and no more, shall from thenceforth be payable for each and every number of one hundred of such letters and newspapers, and for any less number in the like proportion; and a gratuity of one penny for each letter, and of one halfpenny for each newspaper, shall also be payable to the masters of vessels bound to Ceylon, the Mauritius the Cape of Good Hope, and the East Indies, on letters and newspapers conveyed by them for or on behalf of the Post-office, subject, nevertheless, to all the regulations and conditions now by law applicable to letters and newspapers conveyed by private ships, and the delivery thereof to the Post-office.

That the terms and expressions used in this Warrant, shall be construed according to the respective interpretations of the terms and expressions contained in an Act, passed in the first year of Her present Majesty, cap. 36, intituled "An Act for consolidating the laws relative to offences against the Post Office of the United Kingdom, and for regulating the judicial administration of the Post Office laws, and for explaining certain terms and expressions employed in those laws;" and the said firstly hereinbefore mentioned Act of the second and third years of Her present Majesty, so far as those interpretations are not repugnant to the subject, or inconsistent with the context of such terms and expressions;
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but so that for all the purposes of this present Warrant, the Islands of Guernsey, Jersey, Alderney, Sark, and Man, shall be deemed and considered to be comprehended within the term or expression of "the United Kingdom," and Honduras and the Ionian Islands within the term or expression of "British Dominions or Colonies," wherever such terms or expressions shall be found or used in this present Warrant; and that the word "Post," wherever used in this Warrant, shall extend to and include as well any General, as any Twopenny or Penny or Convention Post.

Provided lastly, and we hereby declare, that it shall be lawful for the Lords Commissioners, for the time being, of Her Majesty's Treasury, or any three of them, by Warrant under their hands, at any time hereafter, to alter or repeal any of the rates hereby altered, or the regulations hereby made, and to make and establish any new or other rates or regulations in lieu thereof, and, from time to time, to appoint at what time the rates that may be payable, are to be paid.

As witness our hands this 27th day of December 1839.

MELBOURNE.

F. BARING.

THOS. WYSE.

FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of DECEMBER 31,
1839.

Whitehall, December 30, 1839.

THE Queen has been pleased to order a congé d'elire to pass the Great Seal, empowering the Dean and Chapter of the cathedral church of Lichfield to elect a Bishop of that see, the same being void by the death of Doctor Samuel Butler, late Bishop thereof; and Her Majesty has also been pleased to recommend to the said Dean and Chapter, the Right Reverend Father in God Doctor James Bowstead, now Bishop of Sodor and Man, to be by them elected Bishop of the said see of Lichfield.

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